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Communists Taste Some Increasing Opposition

'Look, Daddy, Lights!'

Born blind, two-year-old Suzanne Bish of Pico, Calif., squeals delightedly as she sees for the first time in her life. Her first sight was a brilliantly lighted Christmas tree, and she cried, "Look, daddy lights. Lots 'n' lots of lights!" The child was born with cataracts over both eyes. Her father's American Legion buddies paid for a series of operations which are correcting the condition. *(NEA Telephoto)*

Those Who Fretted at Kuomintang Now Against Reds

(Fred Hampson, chief of The Associated Press Staff in China, got out of Communist Shanghai on Dec. 9 after four years in the great city. This dispatch, written as he sails for Hong Kong by way of Japan, tells of mounting opposition to Communist rule.)

By FRED HAMPSON

Aboard the Sir John Franklin off Shanghai, Dec. 10 (Delayed) (AP)—Chinese Communists are racing with time as the chill blasts of their first winter in power sweep over China.

They are racing to get their police state type of control consolidated and to end the civil war before internal opposition to their regime stiffens.

Their huge armies, their growing bureaucracy, costs of war and reorganization have imposed upon them the same burdens that crushed their Kuomintang (Nationalist party) enemies.

Sixty to 90 per cent of the Chinese I polled who were opposed to the Kuomintang now are opposed to the Reds.

Inflation is rampant again. Price controls have broken down. Discontent is widespread in both cities and countryside. Unemployment is at dangerously high levels. Worried farmers sell rice they ordinarily stockpile against the off season because they are afraid of more commandeering by the Red military. Taxes are high and getting higher.

There are reports already of food shortages in some districts. But the controlled press and the limitations on travel make it impossible to get the facts. There still is enough food in the cities.

The Communist new China news agency in a dispatch from Peiping on Dec. 4 admitted the Reds were in serious economic and financial difficulties. The dispatch obviously came from high quarters.

The dispatch concluded with the statement of Red leader Mao Tze-tung: "Our situation can be generalized as follows: there are difficulties but there are ways and means and there is hope."

In contrast to the free-wheeling propaganda of the Communist press, which blithely insists that all is well, Mao's statement is a startling warning.

Two-Way Attempt

I have been in Red China since Shanghai fell to Red Gen. Chen Yi's tough troops in the last days of May. It seems to me the Reds

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Dry Friday Pays Off in Water Gain

Water Engineer Says Voluntary Acts Show 26 Per Cent Drop in Usage

No Bathing Asked

Shaving Also Prohibited During Day With Some Success

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—New York's super-effort to save water on this "Dry Friday" in an all-out one-day demonstration appeared to be paying off in a big way today.

Edward J. Clark, chief city water engineer, announced jubilantly that the flow from the metropolis' principal reservoir at 8 a. m. showed a 26 per cent decline from last Friday and a 13 per cent drop from yesterday.

Water Commissioner Stephen J. Carney commented that "the indication at this time is that New York city is going to make history with the water holiday."

There were widely varying estimates of the success of one of the "Dry Friday" admonitions—the request to all men not to shave.

One observer thought about one male in four he saw had a stubbly face. Others said the percentage was lower. It apparently depended on where you were, and possibly on how many out-of-the city commuters were in the group you observed.

There were many suggestions on ways to conserve the city's fast-dwindling water supply beside the "no-shave" edict. City officials were chiefly interested in the cold figures. They have contended the city's 8,000,000 residents can get along with many millions of gallons less water each day, and not feel any privations.

City residents were asked to forget tub baths and showers for the day, do family laundering at one time and wash the day's dishes in one batch, and even to drink one glass less during the day.

City officials announced yesterday a 50 per cent increase in the goal originally set for reduction of consumption every day of the week.

The public cut consumption by an average of 173,000,000 gallons a day since a goal of 200,000,000 was set at the start of the conservation drive three weeks ago. The city had been using an average of 1,192,000,000 gallons a day.

Commissioner Carney said yesterday that continued lack of rain made it necessary to save at least 300,000,000 gallons a day.

"I'm certain," he added, "the goal could go to 400,000,000 without depriving anybody of the essential uses of water."

The city's reservoir systems in Westchester county and in the Catskill mountain area held a total of 88,250,000,000 gallons yesterday. This was 34.9 per cent of capacity, a gain of 805,000,000 gallons over the previous day.

Recent light rain and snow helped a little, but no more was in sight today.

Mile-square Hoboken, N. J.—across the Hudson river from Manhattan—provided a water holiday preview for New Yorkers yesterday. Hoboken's 50,000-odd residents saved some water, and it would have been more if two water mains hadn't burst.

Eleanor Resigning

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt is resigning as a director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. She said in a letter to the organization that her United Nations duties occupy most of her time.

U.S. Steel Hikes Prices $4 Ton; Probe Ahead

Youthful County Shoppers Meet Santa

Miss Linda Crans, left, New Paltz, and Miss Margaret Geiselman, Rosendale, visit Santa Claus at the Montgomery Ward store and judging from their smiles, old Saint Nick has promised to pay them a personal visit Christmas Eve with his bundle of toys. *(Freeman Photo)*

Others Are Expected to Take Action

Congressional Group Might Begin Study of Boost Following Christmas

Consumer Is Hit

Hundreds of Articles Will Cost More, Is Anticipation

Pittsburgh, Dec. 16 (AP)—Big U. S. Steel Corporation raised its steel prices about $4 a ton today.

Other top basic steel producers are expected to follow.

However, Congressional investigators are trying to head off a general steel price increase because they say it threatens America's economy.

Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.), chairman of the joint Congressional Economic Committee, said he expects the committee to approve opening a probe of Big Steel's action after Christmas.

O'Mahoney declared the price rise unjustified and will have an ominously effect on the nation's economic system just when business leaders should be struggling to hold the lid on prices.

Watching the developments silently is the consumer. He'll ultimately have to pay more for hundreds of articles if a general price increase develops.

How much will such things as autos increase. No one knows but guesses range from $5 to $60.

And will the price increase result in more wage demands from the C.I.O. United Steelworkers? That seems almost certain.

Big Steel's action wasn't a surprise.

Such action has been expected ever since the industry ended a 42-day strike Nov. 11 by agreeing to give $100 monthly pensions, including Social Security, and to pay half the cost of a five cents per man hour welfare program.

U. S. Steel President Benjamin F. Fairless said these new prices "reflect actual and anticipated changes in the cost of production."

And Fairless, referring to the new contract won by Philip Murray's Steelworkers, declared mounting expenses of operation include "the substantial higher costs of results when our insurance and pension programs become effective."

Has No Comment

Murray said he had no comment until he sees the full text of price changes. But when the strike-ending contract was signed last month, the veteran labor leader said he did not believe a steel price boost was justified.

At the same time, U. S. Steel announced the price increase on steel, it promised to cut the price of tin mill products such as tin plate used for food cans. Beginning January 1, these prices will go down about $12 a ton. The reduction reflects recent declines in the price of tin.

And Big Steel left unchanged the price of its stainless steel products.

The steel price increase is the fourth made since the end of World War II, and, like the others, it follows closely signing of new contracts with the Steelworkers' Union.

Fairless estimated the average increase at ten per cent and declared:

"We are hopeful that by now basing prices for our steel products which have a proper relationship to costs and profit under run, and on all sizes, ranges and finishes of these products, we will minimize so far as possible these fluctuations in our prices, at least for the foreseeable future, to the end that our customers and our subsidiaries may base their planning on a sound and realistic foundation."

In the third quarter of this year, 24 leading steel companies reported earnings of $[illegible]. That was nine per cent below the $120,150,302 earned in the same three months of 1948.

This is what Senator O'Mahoney says of the financial side of the picture:

"The profits records of the steel industry indicate absolutely that an increase in the price of steel at this time would be absolutely out of line. It will do the steel industry no good to try to preserve its security at a terrible cost

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Truman Will Get 2-Party Backing On Excise Repeal

Sentiment Is to Have Done With Certain Phases Whether President Approves

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Congressional tax students said today President Truman will get strong, two-party support if he asks for repeal of wartime excise taxes.

In fact, there is a lot of sentiment on capitol hill to knock them off or cut them sharply whether Mr. Truman recommends it or not.

The excise taxes are those you pay on items like cameras, furs, jewelry, cosmetics and light bulbs.

Mr. Truman told a news conference at Key West, Fla., yesterday that treasury and congressional authorities are trying to determine whether the wartime excise rates can be repealed.

These men, the President said, are considering the whole question of new taxes and balancing the budget. While he repeated that it always has been his aim to balance the budget, he ducked a question whether he will ask Congress for new taxes in order to get a balance.

But Democratic National Chair-

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Session Breaks Up In Uproar; Red Accuses Adenauer

Reimann Says Germans Would Finish Off 'Puppets' Within 48 Hours

Bonn, Germany, Dec. 16 (AP)—For the second time in three weeks a session of the West German Parliament broke up in an uproar today over charges that Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's government is a puppet of the Western Allies.

Tumult broke out on the floor when Communist Leader Max Reimann bitterly accused Adenauer of fostering a German rearmament plan "backed by German and American imperialism."

"If it were left to the German people, this puppet government would be finished off in 48 hours," Reimann shouted.

At this, members leaped to their feet, shouting angry objections. The Parliament president, Dr. Erich Koehler, recessed the session, but Reimann continued shouting over the uproar for several minutes before he strode from the chamber.

Socialist Leader Kurt Schumacher also disrupted a Parliament session Nov. 25 when he called Adenauer "Chancellor of the Allies" during criticism of the chancellor's decision to end West Germany's boycott of the International Ruhr Authority.

Schumacher was expelled from Parliament for 20 sessions but this ban was later removed.

Before Reimann's outburst, Adenauer denied in the chamber that he had ever proposed creation of a new German army. In the debate that followed the Communist leader called the Atlantic Pact a "war pact" and said:

"Although the tears of the mothers who lost their sons in the last war have not yet dried, it is intended now to put the Germans in uniform again. x x x

"This plan will fail. The Germans do not want to be mercenaries in a colonial army."

No disciplinary action was taken against Reimann for his "puppet" remark, and he was permitted to

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Eisenhower Says Lack of Fulfilled Hopes Irks People

Fort Worth, Dec. 16 (AP)—General Dwight D. Eisenhower says there is a growing concern among the people—a bewilderment, sometimes a resentment—because the high hopes held during the war have not been realized.

"In foreign relations we have seen an ideology, an announced foe of our form of government, engulf all of eastern Europe," he said last night, "and threaten western Europe and reach into Asia—until at times we feel almost isolated. To make the solutions to our problems more complicated, we must reach some answer in the atomic shadow."

Eisenhower, who says he will not let any sort of talk by others make him a presidential candidate,

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Catlett Says F.B.I. Offered $200 for Old Typewriter

Identifies Agent Jones as Man; Says F.B.I. Bought Beer for Him

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—A former handyman for Alger Hiss testified today that an F.B.I. agent offered him $200 for Hiss' battered old typewriter—a key exhibit in the ex-State Department official's second perjury trial.

Raymond Catlett, the 27-year-old Negro witness, identified the G-Man as Special Agent Cortland Jones.

Assistant U. S. Attorney Thomas F. Murphy, cross-examining Catlett, asked Jones to stand up in the spectators' section of the federal courtroom.

"Is this the man you say offered you $200 for the typewriter?" the prosecutor asked.

Catlett leaned forward, pointed his finger at Jones and said he was the man.

He also identified Jones as one of two agents who, he said, bought him beer and drove him around Washington in an F.B.I. car while he drank it and they questioned him about the Hiss case.

Catlett testified earlier that he put Hiss' lawyers on the trail of the missing typewriter, which the defense introduced as evidence yesterday.

The government charges that Hiss copied on this machine a number of State Department

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Dixie Hits Housing Via Civil Rights

Truman Administration Is Told Off; Spokesman Undisturbed

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Two Dixie lawmakers said today the Truman administration had better refrain from broadening new civil rights housing regulations if it wants Congress to approve more home-building legislation.

At the same time, a high government official told a reporter that the administration "will take full advantage of its executive powers" to achieve the objectives of President Truman's hotly disputed civil rights program.

"But," this official added, "we are going to be very careful not to take any steps on our own which require prior authorization by Congress." He asked not to be identified by name.

The go-slow advice came from Senators Sparkman (D.-Ala.) and Johnston (D.-S.C.). They spoke out after two government agencies announced that new rules, curbing the use of agreements which restrict the selection of tenants, will go into effect Feb. 15.

The agreements, or covenants, are those which bar sale or rent of dwellings to persons of certain races or creeds.

The Federal Housing Administration said last night it will deny home loan insurance, or mortgage financing, in any case where a covenant is filed in the public records after Feb. 15.

And the Veterans Administration announced that after that time it won't back up new mortgage guarantees in cases where a public covenant is discovered.

Unwritten covenants are not affected. Nor are agreements and loans prior to Feb. 15.

The broad outline of the new policy was announced early this month by Solicitor General Philip B. Perlman.

Treasury Receipts

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—The position of the Treasury Dec. 14: Net budget receipts, $175,153,807.42; budget expenditures, $868,244,926.35; cash balance, $4,097,328,753.20; customs receipts fiscal year July 1, $14,727,372,602.54; budget expenditures fiscal year, $18,450,199,204.30; budget deficit, $3,722,826,601.75; total debt, $256,924,832,691.13; decrease under previous day, $9,381,330.30; gold assets, $24,476,285,267.87.

O'Dwyer Will Wed

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—City hall announced today that Mayor William O'Dwyer, recently elected for a second term, will marry Miss Sloan Simpson in Stuart, Fla., next Tuesday.

Full-Scale Strike Might Hit Coal Fields in January

Operators Fight Lewis for Forcing 3-Day Work Week on Them

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP) Soft coal operators fought back at John L. Lewis today for forcing a three-day work week on them when winter fuel demands are at a peak.

Resumption of a full-scale strike after Christmas by Lewis' 400,000 soft coal miners became a definite possibility, as a result of the operators' counter-offensive.

Reports that the industry might be shut down next Monday were discounted by both sides, however, because of the miners' admitted desire to earn as much as possible for the Christmas season.

Several moves by major operators indicated that Lewis' formerly successful divide-and-conquer strategy has failed thus far to pay off.

First, southern operators asked President Truman to stop the abbreviated work schedule with a Taft-Hartley Act injunction. They argued it is a partial strike and a grave threat to the national economy.

The operators also asked Mr. Truman to take steps to prosecute Lewis and the United Mine Workers for violating the anti-trust laws by imposing the three-day week. They said if present laws don't cover labor unions, Mr. Tru-

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Cain Counts General as One Who Will Be in 1952 Race

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Another Republican counted Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower in the race for the 1952 G.O.P. presidential nomination today, despite the general's denial of interest.

Senator Cain (R.-Wash.) told a reporter the way things look to him now, it will be a three-man field with Eisenhower, Harold E. Stassen and Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio down the stretch.

Cain added Stassen, president of the University of Pennsylvania, to what Rep. Hugh D. Scott, Jr., former G.O.P. national chairman, forecast would be a two-man race between Taft and Eisenhower.

Scott said a nine-day western trip convinced him that "unless some favorite son comes along at the last minute" the Ohio senator and the retired general of the army will be the leading candidates.

At Fort Worth, Texas, yesterday, Eisenhower told a news conference that "I have no political angle and I'm not going to let any sort of talk by others make me a candidate."

Then he continued his warning against too much government, one of his favorite themes. He said:

"Everybody today is scared of so many things. The poorest way to approach a solution is to centralize too much power in the federal government."

Cain reported that plenty of people are talking about Eisenhower. The senator said he thinks Republicans ought to be concerning themselves with the 1950 congressional races instead of wondering what is going to happen in 1952.

In that connection, he said he endorses the stand the G.O.P. policy committee took against "me-too-ism" at a Chicago meeting this week.

"I've been against 'me-too-ism' all along and I think my record in the Senate will show it," Cain said. "I'm glad to be able to report that after talking to thousands of voters in my state I think they agree with me.

"But it isn't enough just to say we are against 'me-too-ing' the Democratic program—we've got to get down to cases. We ought to tell the voters what we propose to do in connection with every major issue."

Plucky Girl Scout Survives 4 Nights In Wilderness Cabin; Praises Her Training

Longview, Wash., Dec. 16 (AP)—A plucky Girl Scout who had waited patiently in a wilderness cabin four wintery nights for her rescue was resting today in a warm hospital bed.

A physician said 16-year-old Ruth Aberle of Kelso was responding quickly to nourishment and needed only a few days of rest before rejoining her family for the holidays.

Her safety has been almost a Christmas present to this entire southwest Washington area. Ruth said herself last night "I never thought I'd be a Christmas present."

The search had been the most extensive for a missing person in the history of Cowlitz county. Businessmen, loggers, stevedores, boys and girls—even housewives—had joined the hunt. Some of them had risked their jobs to remain in the woods. Townspeople at Kelso lined the roads and cheered when the ambulance drove out of the mountains toward the hospital here.

The girl had disappeared from a group of teen-agers cutting Christmas trees Sunday. Since then, while half a thousand men combed the mountain country northeast of here, Ruth had been alone and without food in the snow and rain. But when found yesterday she calmly identified herself and said "will you take me home?"

Later she told rescuer Charles F. Smith "I knew I'd get out. I wasn't scared. But I hope no one else ever gets lost."

Smith and his son, Phillip, had started over a mountain to join the main search party when they saw the girl in a clearing. She was returning from getting a drink at a creek near the small 12 by 12 foot square hut where she had curled up to sleep four previous nights.

As soon as Ruth identified herself, the younger Smith fired a gun three times. The shots were heard by a group of Kelso boys who had moved beyond the previous search area, around a mountain and—unknowingly—along the general trail the girl had wandered. They relayed the signal back to the main camp 10 miles away.

Meanwhile, young Smith took off on the run toward the nearest telephone—four miles—and notified police. His mother called the Cowlitz county sheriff's office here and an ambulance was sent toward the road nearest the forest scene.

The sturdy physical health of the girl kept her on her feet until she reached the ambulance. Smith said the girl walked "all the way to the road—several miles—except when I carried her across the streams."

Ruth had smiles for her rescuers and was still without tears until her mother, Mrs. William Aberle, Sr., took her in her arms at the hospital. "I'm all right, mother. I'm all right; I'm happy now."

The father came out of the mountains, where he had been in the vanguard of the search, and joined the family reunion in the hospital room. He later quoted her as saying "Daddy, it was my scout training that saved me."

Eastern Tractor: No Comment on Reported Layoffs

A reported lay-off of employes of the Eastern Tractor Manufacturing Corporation was neither confirmed nor denied by company officers this morning.

Four persons, who said they had been employed by the corporation, applied for unemployment insurance benefits at the office of the New York State Department of Labor's division of unemployment insurance in Kingston this morning. They did not say whether the layoff was due to seasonal slack or other reasons.

Asked about the layoff, Thomas Plunket, attorney, said the corporation "has had discussions, but has not reached a decision." He said he was unable at this time to answer other questions regarding the nature of the reported layoff.

John J. Carroll, president of the Eastern Tractor Manufacturing Corporation, offered no comment. He said, "all information must come from the office of Thomas Plunket."

No estimate was made of the number of employes affected.

The corporation's office at 36 St. James street was open this morning and a small office staff was present.

Six Engineers Retire

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—Six engineers of the New York Central's State Express, with a total of 292 years of railroading behind them, are retiring this week-end. The six, each 68 years of age, are John W. Boughton and Harry Van Dyke, both of Albany, Harry H. Dockstader of Eggertsville and Ernest G. Doddridge, Edward J. Parnell and James P. Birmingham, all of Buffalo. For nearly 10 years, each has had a shift of the Empire's locomotive. The New York Central Railroad said it marked the first time that so many enginemen, partners in their jobs on the same train, retired simultaneously.

Leftover Ham

To extend leftover ham cube and mix with cooked elbow macaroni and cream sauce. Turn into a shallow baking dish, sprinkle with cheese and brown lightly under the broiler. Romaine and sliced fruit salad, served with a French dressing, is delicious with this dish.

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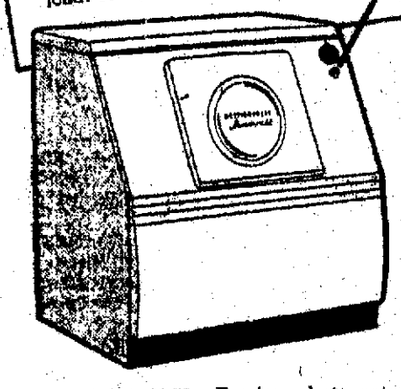

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HIGHLAND NEWS

Highland, Dec. 14—Folk songs and spirituals featured the program for the meeting of the Music Study Club Tuesday night with Mrs. W. Herman Jordan. The program, arranged by Miss Rose Symes, opened with a reading, Mrs. Myron Hazen; vocal solos, Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen and O Sole Mio, modern version (There Is No Tomorrow), Mrs. Gladys Mears; piano solos, Merry May the Keel Row, (a Scottish border song) and Play Fiddle Play, Mrs. Oliver Kent; vocal solos, A Travelin' to the Grave and Londonderry Air, Mrs. W. Irving Clarke; reading, Miss Symes; vocal solos, Were You There and Gloria, Mrs. Arthur Kurtz. The Christmas meeting of the club was held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Clarence Rathgeb.

Miss Ann Wilcox, a freshman at Elmira College will arrive home Friday for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon E. Wilcox.

Mrs. Rose Seaman will entertain the U. D. Society Saturday afternoon. This is the second meeting for this month since Christmas will be a week away, and permit members an opportunity to attend.

The new book, "Cooperation for Christian America" and the introduction on "How the Old Testament Came to Be Written", was discussed by the members of the Evening Study Club in their meeting Monday evening with Mrs. C. W. Rathgeb, who conducted the devotions while Mrs. A. W. Lent used the book for reading. The club planned to remember two invalid members of the church with articles they like. The next meeting will be Jan. 16 at the manse with Miss Marie Van Wormer as leader. Election of officers took place and results will be given after they have been acted upon by the session of the church. Attending were Mrs. Lent, Mrs. Franklin Welker, Mrs. Harry Needham, Mrs. Harry Thompson, Mrs. M. P. Busch, Mrs. Edgar Boyce, Mrs. Bertram Cottine, Mrs. Oscar Jelsma, the Misses Lelia Langdon, Emily Lent, Marie Van Wormer, and the hostess who served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Elkins and daughter, Joan, spent Friday in New York.

Jack Meekins, a sophomore at Colgate, will arrive home Friday for the holidays.

John Crowley and Francis Freer spent the week-end at the home of John Crowley in Wilmington.

Mrs. Clarence W. Rathgeb accepted the office of president of the Ladies' Aid Society at the December meeting in the Presbyterian church hall Wednesday afternoon. The list of vice presidents was not complete but those willing to serve next year were Mrs. Bertram Cottine, Mrs. Heston Woolsey, Mrs. Wilbur Woolsey, Mrs. Edgar Boyce, Mrs. Thomas Sears, Mrs. Roscoe Wood, Mrs. S. D. Farnham, Mrs. Albert Thompson, Mrs. Harry Needham, Mrs. John Brucklacher; Mrs. Nathan Williams, secretary; Mrs. Victor Salvatore, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Champlin, assistant; Mrs. Franklin Welker, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Jesse Alexander, sunshine. The church year starts now Jan. 1 instead of March as formerly. Mrs. Oscar Jelsma reported that 16 bundles, Pieces for Peace, had been sent and two or more needed a few articles to complete them. The members voted $5 toward the expense incurred in material and postage. The November committee, with Mrs. Elton Tompkins, chairman, reported that $70 had been raised. This month's committee was making 40 plum puddings for sale. Mrs. Farnham and Mrs. Wood announced that they would hold an auction in the spring as their project for raising money. There were 19 members attending and refreshments were served.

The Rev. Oscar Jelsma has chosen for his sermon subject on Sunday in the Presbyterian Church at 11 a. m., "How Far Is It to Bethlehem?" At the service last Sunday the soloist was E. Buddy Jones, a baritone from New York who rendered "The Lord's Prayer" and "Going Home." Mr. Jones is planning on writing a book on conditions as he finds them among churches and the good-will expressed in lives as he finds it. Mr. Jones will be heard in the Methodist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rowley, Middletown, were in town Sunday. They were former residents and Mrs. Rowley called upon her cousin, Mrs. George Hildebrand. Mr. Rowley is the secretary-treasurer in the Federal Land Bank office there.

Highland, Dec. 15—Miss Marilyn Dimsey, a junior at Plattsburg State College will arrive home Friday for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip T. Schantz were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ray Everett, Newburgh.

The annual Christmas concert by the high school students will be held Monday evening in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock. The Parent-Teacher Association will meet previous to the concert. Refreshments will be served by the eighth grade mothers.

The Dall Vechia cider mill closed its season this week with a million gallons of cider to its credit. This amount came from 350,000 bushels of apples. The mill will reopen later when apples now in cold storage are made ready for shipment.

Mrs. Arthur Merritt, Mohonk Lake, has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. John Batten.

Andrew W. Lent was in Syracuse on business last week.

Miss Marian Williams who is teaching near Cambridge, England, this year will spend her Christmas holidays with friends in Grimsby and Cornwall.

Christmas numbers made up the program of the Music Study Club Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clarence Rathgeb. The selections were arranged by Mrs. W. H. Maynard. Those who took part were Mrs. Myron Hazen, Mrs. Oliver Kent, Mrs. Arthur Kurtz, Mrs. N. D. Williams, Miss Edna Curry, Mrs. William Lais, Mrs. W. Irving Clarke. The club welcomed Mrs. Albert Thompson as a new member. There was an exchange of gifts. Refreshments were served. The next meeting in January will be with Mrs. Maynard and the program on Russian music will be in charge of Mrs. Kent.

STONE RIDGE

Stone Ridge, Dec. 15—Marbletown Reformed Church, the Rev. Gerrit Timmer, minister—Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship services at 11 a. m. with sermon by the pastor on "God's Gift of Eternal Life." In the evening the choir will render a program of Christmas music at 8 o'clock which will be followed by a social hour and refreshments. The public is cordially invited. The Sunday school will render its Christmas program Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. The choir will meet on Thursday at 8 p. m. The Missionary Society will meet on Wednesday evening in the basement of the church.

Stone Ridge, Dec. 15 — Stone Ridge Methodist Church, the Rev. B. C. Schmidt, pastor — Sunday school, 10 a. m. Worship service, 11 a. m. with sermon by the pastor on "The Promised Saviour."

The musical program given on Thursday at the Stone Ridge Methodist Church was enjoyed by many. The Rev. and Mrs. Charles Boss of Olive Bridge, Mrs. Edward Muller and the Rev. B. C. Schmidt of Stone Ridge presented various parts of the program.

At the 4-H achievement night in the Hurley school last week the following Stone Ridge boys were given awards: Roger Hoornbeek, showing the most improvement in dairy work for 1948, received an award from Harry Beatty, Hurley; Walter and Carl Sheeley, Donald and William Pratt and Roger Hoornbeek were each given a milk pail in recognition of their completed dairy project.

The Rev. B. C. Schmidt has announced the following Christmas programs in his charge: Dec. 18, Accord, 8 p. m.; Dec. 20, Stone Ridge, 7:30 p. m.; Dec. 22, Alligerville, 8 p. m.; Kripplebush, Dec. 23, 8 p. m.; and Atwood, Dec. 25, 4 p. m.

Wesley Lawrence, a student at Asbury College in Kentucky where he is studying for the ministry, is home for the Christmas vacation period.

John Schmidt, who has been ill at his home, is reported to be improved.

To Get Yule Turkeys

Newark, N. J., Dec. 16 (AP)—More than 4,000 employes of P. Ballantine & Sons Brewery will get Christmas turkeys from the company as they have for the past 15 years. About 35 retired employes also will get the Yuletide birds, the brewery said yesterday, and home delivery will be arranged for employes absent from work because of sickness. Company branches at Red Bank, Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Md., and Albany, Kingston and Buffalo, N. Y., will distribute the birds among their employes.

Philadelphia, which had 28,000 people at the time of the first U. S. census in 1790, now has more than 2,000,000.

Belleayre Called Great Year-Round Area; Opens Jan. 7

The new Belleayre Mountain Ski Center at Highmount, near Pine Hill, "is the greatest area development of all time to attract visitors both during the winter and summer."

This opinion was expressed by Albert Kurdt, executive secretary of the Kingston Chamber of Commerce, in announcing that the Chamber of Commerce will cooperate and assist in the official opening of the project on January 7.

Kurdt and Ralph Dalton of Pine Hill, president of the Central Catskills Association, visited the ski center Wednesday. Following his visit, Kurdt reported that the Belleayre development is the only one in New York with a chair lift.

It has the highest operating base elevation in the east, 2,541 feet above sea level. The longest of three runs is only a few feet short of a mile in length. Short slopes have been provided for beginners.

The entire development is being constructed by the New York State Conservation Department at a cost this year of about $320,000, Kurdt said.

According to Ralph Dalton, the project "never would have become a reality without the energetic help of Senator Arthur H. Wicks."

Kurdt reported that those in charge of the project believe more passengers will ride the chair lift during the summer than winter. It is scheduled to operate daily, summer and winter. At the summit, with an elevation of 3,325 feet, an unexcelled view of the entire Catskill mountains can be enjoyed. Extensive picnic areas at the top will help attract summer visitors.

Kurdt said that some idea of the magnitude of this project can be gathered from these statistics: 165,000 pounds of steel, 1,500 cubic yards of gravel, sand and crushed stone, and four carloads of cement went into the project. The summit shelter, including picture windows, is now complete, while a temporary shelter at the base is nearing completion.

The chair lift rises 784 feet in its 3,000 foot length. It will carry 400 persons an hour on the six-minute ride. A rope tow nearby is 800 feet long. At present a parking area for 400 cars is available, but is designed for future expansion. The present development is only the first step in a larger program, Kurdt said.

The rates for the use of the facilities have not been announced, but under present plans special rates will be provided for young people at about half the adult rate, Kurdt said.

New Drive Is Begun

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—The Police Conference of New York State launched a new drive today for legislation to reduce the work week of all policemen to 40 hours. The conference also will ask the 1950 Legislature for a measure to permit retirement of all policemen after 25 years of service, regardless of age. The conference executive committee adopted the legislative program yesterday. The conference claims to represent 40,000 policemen in 190 cities and villages.

Cortisone or Acth Ill Effects Not Lasting

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP)—Arthritis patients will suffer no lasting ill effects from treatment with the new hormones Cortisone or Acth, says the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation.

The foundation's medical advisory committee, in answer to what it said were "recent reports of unfavorable and even dangerous results from use of the drugs," said in a statement:

"Once the new drugs become available in sufficient amounts, there is no known reason for withholding them from any arthritis patient because of dangers associated with their administration."

The foundation's conclusions were reached, the statement said, from "published and unpublished reports and unpublished information of the qualified medical and research societies who have worked extensively with the new drugs in research centers and clinics in Chicago."

Two Need Suits

The Salvation Army is seeking two suits of clothing for local men who need them in order to obtain useful employment. One man wears a size 42 suit and the other wears size 38 to 40. One of the men was recently discharged from prison and hasn't outside clothing, and the other is seeking employment and finds himself handicapped by lack of a fairly good suit of clothes. Prospective donors may call Captain Geo. E. Gath at the local Salvation Army corps and the suits will be called for.

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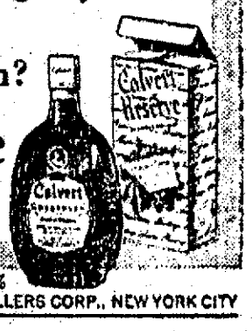

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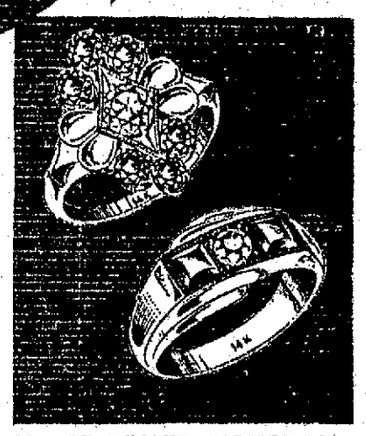

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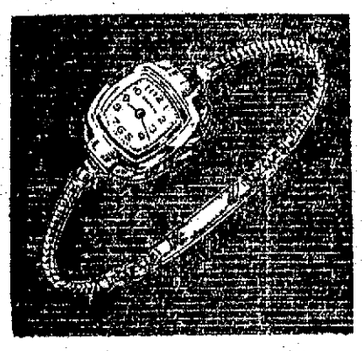

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NEW HURLEY

New Hurley, Dec. 15—The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jacob Kobelt. The president, Mrs. George Sherwood, took charge of the meeting. Present at the meeting were the Rev. and Mrs. John W. Tysse, Mrs. George Sherwood, Mrs. Clifford Hotaling, Mrs. Myra Dolan, Mrs. Dagmer Nelson, Mrs. Clarence Spencer, Mrs. H. P. Ross, Mrs. Gerow Wilkin, Mrs. John Hemelich, Mrs. Edward Powell, Miss Bertha Sutton and the hostess, Mrs. Kobelt. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served. The January meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Hemilich.

Three girls from the Highland High School and three from the Wallkill High School discussed "Art" the balance wheel of education, over station WGNY, Newburgh, on Saturday. The Wallkill Glee Club, under the direction of William Topping, sang three songs, Mary Dear Mother of Jesus, Lullaby Jesus and Let Our Gladness Know No End. The three girls who took part in the discussion were Susanna Denniston of this place and Audre Schmidt and Betty Danchise of Leptondale.

Next Sunday at 2:30 p. m. the Kerhonkson Federated Church will hold a dedication service of its new sanctuary and parish hall.

The New Hurley Sunday school Christmas program will be presented in the church Friday, Dec. 23, at 8 p. m.

Last week Elmer Fries of St. Andrews, severely cut his hand with a saw. Mr. Fries is superintendent of the New Hurley Sunday school. Albert Cronk, the assistant, superintendent, is taking charge during his absence.

Clarence Spencer spent a few days last week in Albany.

Mrs. John W. Tysse and daughter, Lucille visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. Fred Simpson at Stone Ridge Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cronk and family were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Powell Thursday evening.

Mrs. H. P. Ross of Wallkill was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spencer last week.

The Missionary Society will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alfred Wager. The response to the roll call will be a Christmas meditation. Mrs. Burton Ward will present a Christmas program. Each one is requested to bring an article of non-perishable food for a Christmas gift package.

The Classis of Orange will meet in special session in the Walden Reformed Church, Friday at 2 p. m., to consider an application from the Church of Our Saviour, Newburgh, to the Board of Domestic Missions for aid towards the salary and other important business.

Paper Gives Impression Britain Has A-Bomb

London, Dec. 15 (AP)—The Daily Mirror gave its readers the impression today that Britain has produced an atomic bomb.

The mass circulation tabloid said in an unattributed, undated article by its atomic affairs writer, Ronald Bedford:

"Britain's atomic weapon, which our scientists have been developing for more than two years, will not be tried out at the forthcoming test of American super-atom bombs."

There was no confirmation from any other source of the inference that Britain already has an atomic weapon.

Government ministers, questioned frequently on the subject in the House of Commons, have refused consistently to give any hint as to whether British researchers have succeeded in making atomic weapons.

Bedford noted that Defense Minister A. V. Alexander, in May, 1948, said atomic weapons were "being developed" here.

Bedford wrote that the United States, Britain and Canada at a recent Washington conference on atomic energy decided against testing the purported British weapon during the forthcoming test of American weapons at Eniwetok atoll in the Pacific.

Is This the Army?

New York, Dec. 15 (AP)—Can this be the army? Soldiers attached to the New York port of embarkation will get "gigs" (demerits) tomorrow—if their chins are not covered with stubble. It's part of the city's water-saving shaveless, bathless Friday. Troops were directed to forego shaving tomorrow morning. And army authorities ordered all showers closed for 24 hours.

Egg Sandwiches

Egg sandwiches for school lunch boxes may be varied a number of ways. Add a few tablespoons of crumbled crisp bacon to the chopped hard-cooked egg and salad dressing to moisten. Or spread the sandwich bread with deviled ham before topping with the egg mixture.

March of Dimes Is Planned for 1950, Officials Named

William A. Kelly, attorney, of 165 Pearl street, was named director of the 1950 March of Dimes campaign at the annual meeting Wednesday night of Ulster County Chapter, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The meeting, held at the Kirkland Hotel, was attended by about 50 persons.

Other campaign officials whose appointment was announced included County Judge John M. Cashin, Mayor Oscar V. Newkirk and former Mayor William F. Edelmuth as honorary chairmen; Stephen G. Hyatt, principal of School No. 7, chairman of the school campaign; Richard Kalish, chairman of the March of Dimes annual ball; Addison Jones and Francis J. O'Neil, city co-chairmen, and Supervisor Raymond Lindhurst of the Third Ward, publicity chairman.

Raymond McAndrew, former city clerk, was named chairman of the industry committee; Robert W. Case, theatre chairman, and Raymond Garraghan, fraternal chairman.

Guernsey Burger, Jr., president-elect of the Kingston Patrolmen's Association, was named to represent that organization on the campaign general committee.

The board of directors for the coming year was elected. Elected to the board were Dr. Robert H. Broad, Addison Jones, Tuthill McDowell, William Kelly, Myron J. Wells, Franklin Clum, Richard Kalish, Edward Hartney, Ralph Garcia, Mrs. Ruth Wilkinson, William Joyce, Mrs. Raymond Morris, Harold Wilkins, H. Victor Greene and Mrs. Donald Swan.

Meeting after adjournment of the annual meeting, the newly-elected board re-elected Mrs. William E. Powers of Kingston as chairman of Ulster County Chapter; Tuthill McDowell of Wawarsing, first vice-chairman; Harold Wilkins of Shokan, second vice-president; Mrs. William Kelly, Kingston, secretary, and Raymond Garraghan, Kingston, treasurer.

LYONSVILLE

Lyonsville, Dec. 15—The annual grade school Christmas party will be held Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p. m., in the school. The community is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. George Doolittle of Stone Ridge and Claude Markle of Kingston recently called on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis.

Television sets have recently been installed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and the Oakley home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pagnani of Woodside, L. I., called on friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeFrance of Garfield, N. J., who spent the week-end at their summer home entertained a few relatives and friends.

Miss Averine Wonsor spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burger.

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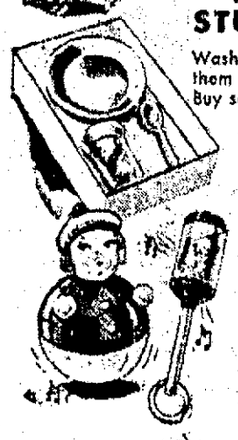

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EISENHOWER DENIES CANDIDACY

Friends of President Truman say he views General Dwight D. Eisenhower as an active bidder for the presidency in 1952.

They do not say so but presumably he sees the general as a candidate for the Republican nomination. Certainly Eisenhower's public utterances are not in a vein that can be easily reconciled with Democratic Fair Deal philosophy.

Eisenhower himself is of course denying his candidacy with almost as much regularity as he did in the campaign year 1948. But it is true he is speaking out more and more on the chief issues of the day.

Moreover, a clear pattern of thinking is emerging from his statements. He is resolutely opposed to the welfare state, to bigness in government, to emphasis upon security at the expense of self-reliance, all the things the Republicans say the Democrats stand for.

Ike's recent "hot dogs and beer" speech, in which he advised the average man to scale down his dreams from the champagne level, is said to have convinced Mr. Truman the general is trying to build up strength for entry into the political arena.

The President's intimates add that despite his great admiration for the general as a soldier he regards him as strictly an amateur in politics.

An old political axiom has it that no one ever wins a party presidential nomination without working like a Trojan for it. If Mr. Truman is right and Eisenhower really wants to run, then he has a lot of work ahead of him.

Assuming that ambition, we'll soon see how much of an amateur he is. His present heavy round of speech-making may indeed be the first step along the road. Many candidates in the past have begun their determined drive in this fashion.

But there is much more to it than keeping in the public eye and outlining one's views. In the very process of telling where he stands, Eisenhower is bound to lose some of that huge reservoir of popular esteem he has enjoyed since World War II ended.

So long as he was silent, any citizen could imagine the general stood with him. Now many must know he does not. Inevitably that will impair his vote-getting appeal. Thus the general's task is somehow to hold as much as he can of his magnetic strength while still forthrightly declaring his principles. A neat trick.

Furthermore, Eisenhower is a political outsider. Though the general hunch is that he is a Republican, he has never said so. The professional leaders in the G.O.P. will not be after him so long as they believe they can win without him. Outsiders are too hard to manage. Other things being equal, a party faithful will always get the nod.

So if Ike really wants to carry the flag in 1952 he will have the tough job selling himself to the professionals. Wendell Willkie bowled them over in 1940 by extreme effort but they repaid him by crushing his further ambitions in 1944. The regular are tough to beat and most candidates don't try.

This is what lies ahead of Eisenhower if he has actually set out to capture the G.O.P. nomination, as Mr. Truman suspects.

If, on the other hand, he still means it when he says he isn't a candidate, then all this speculation is a pipe-dream and Eisenhower is just availing himself of the happy American privilege of saying what he thinks about his government. We'll know which it is by 1952, if not before.

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GREATEST TUNNEL

A building project that would really have been something is revealed by a historical student who has been going through the published papers of the Russian Foreign Office. This was a scheme proposed in 1905 for building a new railroad in Siberia which would tunnel under Bering Strait and end in Alaska. The length of the proposed road was estimated at 3,500 miles, and its cost at something under $250,000,000. The tunnel itself might have been 50 or 60 miles long. The promoters were a Frenchman, Louis de Lobelle, and an American, otherwise unidentified, named as J. Jackson.

The immensity of the project is breathtaking; also the probable cost, which must have far exceeded the moderate sum named in the application. And it is not clear just how the promoters expected to be recompensed, in view of the bleakness and undeveloped condition of the part of Siberia through which the railroad would run, and of Alaska at that time.

Like some other projects submitted to a government bureau, this never got anywhere. Americans are probably just as content that no tunnel connects Soviet territory with Alaska.

'These Days'

By GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

THE COST OF WATER

I went out to Steubenville, Ohio, to attend a dinner of the Steubenville College, which was giving a medal to Alcoholics Anonymous. The occasion was pleasant, particularly as I like the kind of people of some 30 nations who compose the population of this area. They manage to live together happily.

So I drove over the bridge to Weirton to visit with my old friend, its mayor, Tom Millsop, who happens also to be the president of the Weirton Steel Company, which has not had a strike for 16 years. There I picked up a story about—of all things—water, which at this time of water shortages throughout the east, is interesting.

Most of us believe that water is free, which is not so, even if you have to dig a well on a farm. Labor is a cost, even if you do the work yourself. The last time I dug for water up at my farm, it cost me about $900 and the water is still low this year. Here in New York, the water for 8,000,000 inhabitants is in peril and it will cost millions of dollars to provide adequately for the future. Maybe, from the standpoint of water, 8,000,000 persons ought not to congregate in one area.

Well, in Weirton, I discovered what everybody there knew, that it takes 150 tons of water to make one ton of steel. Water for that plant is pumped from the Ohio river at the rate of 130,000 gallons a minute and it goes on 24 hours a day. Every month they use 8,000,000,000 gallons of water.

Of course, after I picked up this item, it was obvious why so many industries lie on rivers. It threw my mind back to the lovely Housatonic river in the Berkshires which is being polluted by paper mills. We can have the river or the industry, but we cannot have these great industries without water. Some aesthetic folks would rather not have the industries, so that they might gaze, undisturbed and unperturbed, upon the exquisite beauty of the scenery. But I always notice that such people like to ride in automobiles, which are made of steel, in the production of which so much water is used.

A smart man told me that water is used as a solvent, as a catalyst, as a conveying medium for the transport of materials and for the disposal of waste, as a diluent or dispersive medium, as a cooling agent, as a cleansing agent, and in the production and distribution of heat and power. Of course, pretty much that happens in anybody's kitchen from the Yangtze to the Euphrates, Mother knowing all the values of water, including the drinking thereof, which may be delightful or murderous, depending upon its purity. In some countries, it is possible to drink water as is, but in most it must be boiled or in some chemical manner, purified.

When I lived in China, we never drank water as is, because the danger became too great. The Chinese themselves drink tea, which is boiled water, colored by fragrant leaves. Foreigners drink bottled water, "silent" or "fizzy," and it costs lots of money in the long run. I suppose because it is so bland and dull that way, they infuse it with varieties of whiskey for flavoring. Thirst-quenching can be expensive.

The point is that we get nothing for nothing, except in very primitive societies. Even in such arrangements for living, water has often been a problem, as the paintings of lovely Biblical women carrying huge urns, full of the stuff, on their lovely shoulders, remind us. Whenever I look at such a picture, I wonder at the physical strength of these ladies and how they maintain their loveliness in spite of their labors! And when the wells dry, they have to pick up and move. Many of the great migrations of the human race can be related to the search for water, for man, for his cattle, and for his general well-being.

So, the question arises: What can the 8,000,000 who live in New York do if its water should give out this or next week? Where can they move to? (Copyright, 1949, King Features Syndicate, Inc.)

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

INTELLIGENCE OF BACKWARD CHILDREN

I have written a couple of times about the use of glutamic acid—an animo acid—in helping to brighten the mind. This discovery was first reported by Dr. C. C. Pfeiffer, Professor of Pharmacology, Illinois College of Medicine, who stated that glutamic acid brightened the wits in a series of 69 mentally defective children one and one half to 17 years of age. More recently an editorial in "The Journal of the American Medical Association" stated that glutamic acid had been found of great help in the mild form of epilepsy (petit mal). Still another group reported that they had observed a rise in mental age and intelligence quotient in adult patients.

Since the above favorable reports, some research workers have stated that they failed to obtain favorable results in treating "backward" children with glutamic acid.

In view of the above favorable and unfavorable reports, a not unusual occurrence when any new drug or method of treatment is announced, it is of interest to learn that glutamic acid has been found to improve the wits or intelligence in what is known as mongolian idiocy (which is present when the child is born); that is, the lowest form of intelligence. Generally speaking a moron has an intelligence quota of from 80 to 90, an imbecile is much below this, running from 50 to 60, but an idiot has little or no inetlligence, although he is lively and imitates well.

It would naturally be expected that little or nothing can be done to increase the intelligence of a mongolian idiot, but in "The American Journal of Psychiatry" Drs. F. T. Zimmerman, Bessie B. Burgemeister and T. J. Putnam report their study of the effects of glutamic acid in 30 definite cases of mongolism idiocy or mental backwardness and 30 non-mongoloid control cases. Glutamic acid increased the intelligence and physical growth in mongolian idiocy. Improvement in mental growth, while genuine, was not as great as in non-mongoloid backwardness, but there was the definite improvement. Improvement in physical growth was striking over six months of treatment.

While too much should not be expected in all cases of mental backwardness, parents of backward children would do well to discuss this method of treatment with their family physician.

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What a Brood!

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON

Washington—One of the worst scandals in the nation today is income-tax fraud and the way certain politicos or friends of politicos are able to get away with it.

With the country facing almost certain tax increases next year, it remains a fact that every man who dodges his taxes sends the tax bill up higher for the other fellow.

Recently this column cited various tax cases where the little guy got prosecuted, but the big guy—able to hire political influence—got off. This is far more frequent than the public realizes, and this column herewith begins a series to show how income-tax fraud is put across.

For instance, in Mobile, Ala., Joe Mitchell and his brother-in-law, Sam Ripps, organized the Gulf Coast Tobacco Co., during the war and sold millions of dollars worth of jewelry to army post exchanges. The boys in the army camps would buy almost anything those days and Ripps and Mitchell made a killing.

Then, a couple of years later, alert treasury agents caught them keeping two sets of books, and after long investigation, recommended criminal prosecution.

The two men who were so eager to sell jewelry to G.I.'s had not been so eager to pay their taxes and treasury agents claimed they owed a minimum of $700,000; perhaps as much as $1,200,000.

Ripps and Mitchell immediately began to pull every political wire south or north of the Mason-Dixon Line. First they tried to hire Joseph Nunan, former commissioner of internal revenue. Then they negotiated with Martin Sweaber, a good friend of Nunan's. Then they retained William Nicholson of Charlotte, N. C., former law partner of Lamar Caudle, assistant attorney general in charge of the tax division.

Scrupulous Caudle, a conscientious public servant, phoned his former partner, asked him to withdraw from the case. He did so.

Finally, however, Mitchell and Ripps approached Will Walter Bankhead of Alabama's politically powerful Bankhead family, and through him retained Ben Leader, former law partner of the U. S. attorney in Birmingham, John Hill. Significantly it was Hill who was to try the case.

That case, however, has never been tried. It was sent by the Justice Department to Hill for prosecution, but that was as far as it got. U. S. Attorney Hill held a conference with justice and treasury men in Birmingham at which he contended he did not have sufficient evidence. In the end, and with their concurrence, the prosecution of jewelry profiteers Ripps and Mitchell was sent back to Washington as closed.

Prosecutor's Partner Is Paid

Meanwhile, this column, probing the tax fraud, unearthed some interesting facts. Ben Leader, when questioned, admitted he was Hill's former law partner; also admitted he received a fee of $12,000, but made a long speech about the case having been decided on its merits.

This column also discovered, however, that this is not the first time Joe Mitchell has slithered his way out of trouble with the law.

Graduating from New York University in 1923, Mitchell became an internal revenue agent, but was permitted to resign in 1929 after a scandal over falsifying expense accounts.

In 1930 Mitchell was caught tapping the city water main to supply a Negro tenement that he owned in Mobile. He was allowed to settle the water bill out of court. In 1942, when rent ceilings were clamped on his property, he was caught finagling rents above the ceiling price. And in 1943, when tires were rationed, Mitchell was caught stealing two tires from a Tupelo, Miss., filling station.

When arrested for this theft, his pockets were found bulging with $100 bills from which he posted $1,000 bond; Congressman Boykin of Mobile then sought the intervention of Congressman Rankin of Mississippi, and Mitchell escaped prosecution. He even got back $500 of his $1,000 bond.

In 1945, Mitchell was convicted of violating the election laws, and sentenced to 60 days hard labor. However, the Supreme Court threw out the case on the ground of an improperly drawn indictment. While the case was up for appeal, two witnesses disappeared, and, when picked up in Pensacola, swore that Mitchell had paid them $100 a week to stay out of Mobile.

This is the man who, when charged by the treasury with income-tax fraud to the tune of $700,000 minimum, managed to squirm out of prosecution.

Hiding the Cash

Here are some of the things the T-men charged Mitchell and his brother-in-law, Sam Ripps, with doing.

In selling jewelry to army PX's, checks would come in to them from all over the country. For instance, Camp Shelby, Miss., bought $15,000 worth of jewelry on July 18, 1942, another $4,000 on July 23, 1942; and another $3,453 on Dec. 4, 1942.

In handling this money, Mitchell and Ripps followed a system of letting their small checks and cash accumulate. Then, when a large check came in, they deposited the accumulated small checks and cash to the same amount as the big check, in order to make it appear that the big check had been cashed. Actually the big check was converted into a cashier's check, then sent by a roundabout way through the Jefferson Investment Co., of St. Louis, controlled by Mitchell, to the Paramount Check Cashing Service in New York.

Books Disappear

This devious method of cashing checks was aimed to throw T-men off the track and cover up large amounts of income.

When this financial juggling was detected on one set of Mitchell-Ripps books, however, the books mysteriously disappeared. T-men had got out a subpoena for them, but when they came back with the subpoena, no books could be found.

Mitchell, himself a former revenue agent, knew how incriminating books could be.

The Mitchell-Ripps defense is that they had to buy jewelry on the black market, had to pay in cash, and at high prices. It was on the basis of this plea, made by his former law partner, that U. S. Attorney Hill opposed prosecution.

However, Treasury and Justice Department tax men in Washington, when questioned by this columnist, said they had decided to reopen the case and hoped, in the end, to prosecute.

(Ed. Note — Another Pearson column on tax-frauds will follow soon).

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The 6-Year-Old Admiral

Henry Fitzroy (1519-1536) son of King Henry VIII of England was Admiral of the British Navy at the age of 6. On June 15, 1525, his father appointed him Lord High Admiral (of England, Ireland, Scotland, and Wales, as well as of Normandy, Gascogny and Aquitania). His mother was Elizabeth Blount, one of the queen's ladies-in-waiting.

Twenty and Ten Years Ago

Dec. 16, 1929—Freezing weather after snow and rain made area travel hazardous.

Mrs. Henry Beck died at the home of her niece, Mrs. Joseph Belchert on Hasbrouck avenue.

Charles W. Shultis was elected master of Rondout Lodge No. 343, F. & A. M.

Mrs. Helen Ellsworth, a former resident of Port Ewen, died in Springfield, Mass.

Dec. 16, 1939—District Attorney Cleon B. Murray announced that five men, known as the Bentz gang, who held up the New Paltz Saving Bank in 1935, were in federal prison on other charges.

Men of the Greene county sheriff's office were called out as labor trouble started at the Alpha cement plant in Alsen.

William Bailey and Dorothy Conoford of West Pierpont street were slightly injured in a coasting accident at Hone and West Pierpont streets.

A. A. Woodward, Cornwall typewriter supply salesman, was killed in an auto accident at Milton.

The Board of Education voted to purchase two motion picture machines to aid the local visual education program.

John Reynolds of Mt. Tremper died at Kingston Hospital.

Today in Washington

What Has Gone Wrong Between Key West, Washington in Burke Case?

By DAVID LAWRENCE

Washington, Dec. 16—Something seems to have gone wrong between Key West and Washington on the case of Capt. Arleigh Burke, idol of the navy and hero of the war in the Pacific.

When Key West dispatches attribute to President Truman the statement that he has seen only one list of captains recommended by the navy's selection board to be promoted to rear admiral, the question arises why didn't Mr. Truman see the original list submitted by that board, as specifically provided by statute.

Has somebody been violating the law?

The facts are that the navy selection board picked Captain Burke to be a rear admiral and submitted its report to the Secretary of the Navy as a matter of routine so that the document would be forwarded to the President.

At this point, it is said that the secretary of the navy intervened and called the members of the navy selection board together and told them it would make a bad impression on the public if Captain Burke were selected. He also is reported to have said that he would like to have the name of his own naval aide put on the list because the latter would not have another chance for promotion and would be very much disappointed if he did not get the advancement.

Accordingly the board was reconvened, and the members felt that, in effect, they had received an instruction from the President. So they dropped Captain Burke's name and put in its place the name of the man the secretary of the navy wanted. The fact that the navy board has been reconvened several days ago was made known quite accidentally to a large group of officers who were attending a meeting over which a member of the selection board happened to be presiding. In turning the meeting over to an associate, he said that he had to leave because the selection board had just been "reconvened." It is most unusual for the navy selection board to be "reconvened" after it has submitted its report. It created quite a stir in navy circles.

Congress was very careful to prevent promotions in the navy from being handled in this highly irregular, if not political, manner. Section 310 of the statute says with respect to the navy selection board:

"The report of the board shall be submitted to the President for approval or disapproval: Provided, that in case of any officer or officers recommended by the board for temporary promotion, or, in the case of rear admirals or captains, for continuation on the active list, be not acceptable to the President, the board shall be informed of the name of such officer or officers and shall recommend a number of alternate officers for temporary promotion or for continuation on the active list, as the case may be, equal to the number of those found not acceptable to the President, and, if necessary, the board shall be reconvened for this purpose."

The Key West dispatches would give the impression that the President is wholly innocent of what happened and that he did not order any names taken off the list. This might be so, as he may have been permitted to see only one list. But if this is so, then somebody pulled a boner somewhere.

Neither the secretary of the navy nor the secretary of defense had authority to order the board reconvened and to have any names taken off the list unless, of course, either one was speaking by instruction of the President as a delegation of authority.

If the secretary of the navy did not have the President's authority, the members of the selection board could hardly have questioned him as to why he wanted any name taken from the list. They could not have appeared to doubt that he was speaking for the President, though the denial in the Key West dispatches that Mr. Truman intervened is puzzling, to say the least.

Has a great hero of the nation been made the victim of a conspiracy to inflict punishment on him for having testified before a Congressional committee? Only the President can undo such a wrong. He can do it by adding Captain Burke's name to the list. If he does so, the fathers and mothers and relatives of the more than 5,000 American boys at Bougainville whose lives were saved by the heroic work of Captain Burke's destroyer squadron can feel that justice has been done and that to risk one's life for one's country in free America and render efficient service is still the right way to earn promotion in the armed services of the United States.

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AS PEGLER SEES IT

By WESTBROOK PEGLER

Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—On the night of the gridiron dinner the Hon. James F. Byrnes, of South Carolina, formerly secretary of state and before that a justice of the Supreme Court, was around and about having a very good time. He sat at the head table and, before and after these exercises, he made fellowship in rooms reserved for that purpose. He is a cocky little fellow with a squinty eye and a southern brogue and an affable "way," but he is a distinct cut short of the class which we used to require in secretaries of state and justices of the Supreme Court. He is common. He is not coarse nor dirty-spoken, mind you, but neither a scholar, either, and more on the order of Harry S. Truman, who out-lucked him by no more than the fall of a coin for the presidency of the United States. They are pretty much alike in size, beam, jib and lack of formal education.

It was a quaint coincidence in a nation absolutely reeking of college culture and book-learning that in 1944, when Roosevelt was plainly more dead than alive, we were limited in our choice of his obvious successor to two little common-school heroes out of Horatio Alger. It will undertake to say they don't like one another.

Byrnes had been Roosevelt's trouble-shooter, you remember, and Mr. Big seduced him off a soft job for life on the Supreme Court to run down to the store for a carton of cigarettes and a scratch-sheet. He never got back and, now, since his break with H.S.T. he never can.

There, but for the decision of Sidney Hillman, an emigrant, sat Harry Truman far below salt at the Gridiron Saturday night. And up there at the center, as the guest of honor, you would have had little Jimmy Byrnes, president of the United States.

Jimmy had nosed his way through the law books and got admitted to the bar and, in a photo finish, he had a little edge on Mr. Truman in education, although he probably did set the minimum record for the Supreme Court in this respect. Still, his opinions were c r e d i t a b l e compositions, proving, perhaps, that it's a gift or that an educated law-clerk is.

Mr. Byrnes nevertheless undoubtedly felt that he was a lot smarter and better qualified than Mr. Truman and, Harry being a tough little banty himself, Mr. Byrnes got pushed. He went out ailing of heart trouble but he seemed right peart last Sa'day night at the Statler, sashaying hither and yon with the elders of the old New Deal, many of them now grown out of the party. I think history will just about endorse my version of it, that Byrnes thought he knew more than Harry, and patronized him. And Harry got sore and canned him.

But Mr. Byrnes never was as valuable to his fellow-citizens as he has been since he became a

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Questions - Answers

Q—Is the imperial measure used in Canada the same as the corresponding United States measure?

A—When purchasing gasoline and oil, motorists should remember that the imperial measure used in Canada is one-fifth larger than the corresponding United States measure. Five gallons, Canadian measure, are equal to six gallons, United States measure.

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Q—What does one mean by the grazing capacity of a range?

A—The term applies to the maximum number of livestock that can be grazed on a given area for a given period of time without injury to the soil, the forage plants, the tree growth or the watershed, with due provision for game, recreation, and other land uses.

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Q—What are the most important forms of forest game?

A—Deer, elk, grouse, tree squirrels, turkey, and bear.

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Q—Can trees reproduce without fertilization?

A—Yes; a sexual reproduction has been found to occur in several birches and perhaps in other species.

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Q—Were halos used before Christ?

A—Their use was probably of astrological origin and it is exemplified in Egyptian, Etruscan, Indian, Greek and Roman art.

So They Say...

The right spark, ignited at the right moment in international relations, could launch the struggle for man's ultimate survival.
—Navy Secretary Francis Matthews.

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Japan will be able to advocate her rights at a peace conference. Thus, if the treaty terms should be extremely unfavorable to Japan, our only course would be either to walk out of the conference or to refuse to accept such terms.
—Premier Shigeru Yoshida of Japan.

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We must reaffirm our determination never to compromise with latent dangers that can lead to war.
—Adm. Forrest Sherman, Chief of Naval Operations.

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It is already obvious that the progressive forces of the world are becoming more and more convinced of our righteousness in our justified struggle (against the Russian cominform).
—Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia.

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Honest competition makes for better business, better government and better defense.
—Capt. John Crommelin, U.S.N.

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Any celebration of Christmas was a crime in the Puritan England of Oliver Cromwell.

Philadelphia has more than 1,000 churches.

Mid-America Report

By F. GLENN ENGLE

Detroit Dec. 16 (AP)—They say it's bad—economically speaking—to be too dependent on one industry. But most of Michigan is, and the rest wishes it were.

Four years after the war the hub of American's one mighty war production machine still is spinning. In this state a city's prosperity seems to be in almost direct ratio to its share in one industry—the making of automobiles.

That business is booming. It has kept Michigan's economy propped up at a level far higher than before the war, and quite near the wartime peak.

There are exceptions.

In Muskegon, wartime expansion has left one of every four workers unemployed. In the upper peninsula, semi-depression conditions left by the fadeout of the lumber boom have been aggravated by a big postwar sag in the copper market. In Jackson and Port Huron, postwar economic pains are less severe, but still serious enough to warrant the government's 'distressed' rating.

Some other Michigan towns are not exactly booming. In general, however Michigan has recovered to peace with fewer maladjustments than expected.

Highest Employment

In Flint, where roughly three out of four working persons help make cars, employment is the highest in history. Detroit, Saginaw, Lansing and other auto towns are doing almost as well.

More than a million men, women and children poured into Michigan during the war hoping to make big money. Most of them did, and enough of them liked it enough so that about 950,000 of them still were here when the last population estimate was made last year.

The state's labor force still is some 300,000 bigger than in prewar days, but unemployment—the more or less permanent kind—is only about 160,000. This is only half the average for the prewar year of 1940.

Michigan's lush tourist and resort business, second only to car manufacturing in dollar volume, reportedly is holding its own in both the upper and lower peninsulas. Michigan agriculture, led by its rich lakeside fruit crops, has maintained its high standing.

Industry Is Extraordinary

But while those are only normal or a little better, the auto industry still is extraordinary. An all-time production record was set recently, and output will come close to 6,000,000 for the year.

Almost as many people are on the industry's payrolls now as there were at the wartime peak—715,000 compared with 732,000. There were only about 465,000 in 1940.

Auto industry leaders are the first to admit that different wartime circumstances are to some extent responsible for their favorable postwar situation. The car makers were among the few who cut off production of peacetime goods completely during the war.

So far, the pend-up demand for autos has held up fine. There is no reason to think that it won't for quite a while yet. As long as it does, Michigan will get along.

Against Brannan Plan

Chicago, Dec. 16 (AP)—The American Farm Bureau Federation has rejected flatly the Brannan Plan for direct subsidies to farmers. The action was taken yesterday at the close of the powerful group's 31st annual meeting.

The federation's 5,000 agricultural leaders from 48 states voted in favor of continuing and making more flexible the compromise farm support program enacted by Congress this year. After refusing to permit administration sponsors of the secretary of agriculture's plan to address them, the delegates adopted a stern indictment of the Brannan proposal.

G.E. Asks Elections For 100,000 Workers

New York, Dec. 16 (AP) — The General Electric Company has asked the National Labor Relations Board for elections among its 100,000 workers to decide between two rival unions.

G.E. has been bargaining recently under its contract with the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America (U.E.), expelled from the CIO on grounds of Communist domination.

A campaign to sign up G.E. workers has been waged by the new union set up by the CIO—the International Union of Electrical Workers (I.U.E.)

G.E., the leader in the electrical manufacturing industry, filed 99 separate petitions with the N.L.R.B. yesterday. Each petition covered a plant or an operation where the U.E. is being challenged by the I.U.E. in several states.

G.E. suggested that the rival unions agree on the units to hold elections. The I.U.E. has claimed heavy inroads on the membership of the U.E.

The company also announced it had deposited $141,000 in dues checkoff money with the Federal Court in New York city.

Commenting on this move—also growing out of the union rivalry—G.E. said:

"After attempts to find other ways of solving the perplexing question of who is entitled to the union dues checkoff by the company, it was decided the only fair and sure way of reaching the right result was to ask the U. S. Court to decide.

"The company has no ownership interest in these funds, and only wants to be sure it pays the money to those entitled to it."

Onions belong to the lily family.

B-29 Hits Mill, Six Crewmen Die

Roswell, N. M., Dec. 16 (AP)—A B-29 hit a windmill and tumbled to the ground in flames yesterday, killing six of the 14 crewmen aboard.

Three crewmen were seriously injured. Five others walked away from the wreckage with cuts and bruises.

The air force bomber was coming in for a landing at Walker Air Force Base where it was stationed. It sheared off the windmill which stood near one of the runways.

Cause of the crash was not made public. Air base officials, however, said there appeared to be "no indication of engine trouble."

Rescue crews worked two hours cutting bodies and survivors out of the twisted wreckage.

Smoke from the burning ship spread over miles of prairie west and south of Roswell. Wreckage was widely scattered.

Five men were killed outright. A sixth died five hours after the plane plunged into the ground.

The B-29 was returning from a training flight.

The dead were identified as First Lt. Richard S. Leggio, 28, Hartford, Conn.; First Lt. Robert Vander Muellen, 28, Ferndale, Mich.; Capt. Charles A. Whitlock, 30, Fort Worth, Tex.; S/Sgt. Tomas O. Roybal, 32, Pecos, N. M.; First Lt. Robert L. Eyman, 24, Tallahassee, Fla., and S/Sgt. Carmelo J. Cannata, 26, (104 Cleveland street) New Britain, Conn.

Seriously injured were: Capt. John Richard Simonson, 24, Roswell, S/Sgt. Glen Howard Stoddard, Jr., 27, Omaha, and S/Sgt. Adria L. Edgell, 21, Bristol, W. Va.

New Disease

Chicago, Dec. 16 (AP)—Physicians throughout the country were urged yesterday to be on the lookout next summer for a newly recognized disease—rickettsallpox. The disease shows some symptoms of chickenpox, smallpox, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, typhus and typhoid fever. Dr. Leslie Paxton Burker of St. Luke's Hospital, New York, said so far the disease has turned up only in New York. The disease is harbored in the common house and is transferred to humans by a tiny blood sucking insect.

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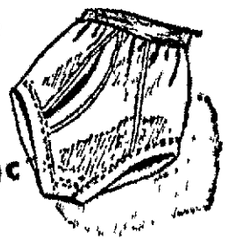

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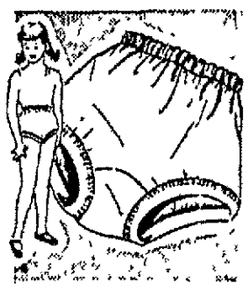

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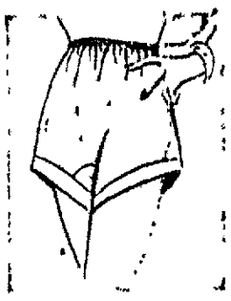

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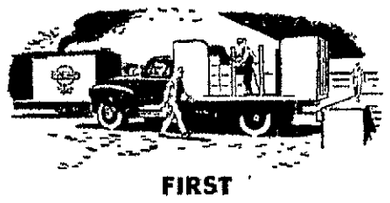

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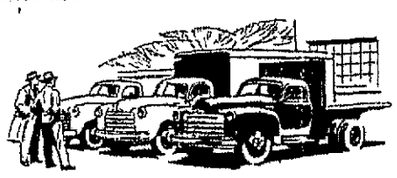

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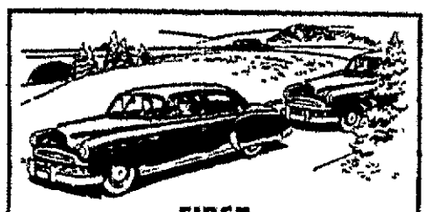

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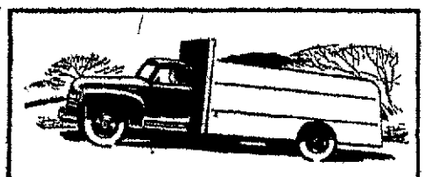

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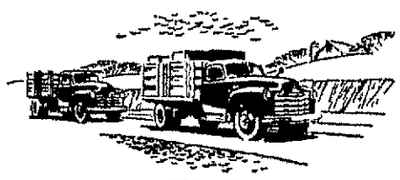

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By Junius

When Christmas Comes

Have you any old grudges you would like to pay?
Any wrongs laid up from a bygone day!
Gather them now and lay them away
When Christmas comes.
Hard thoughts are heavy to carry my friends,
And life is short from beginning to end,
Be kind to yourself, leave nothing to mend
When Christmas comes.
—*William Lytle.*

Undoubtedly suggests the observant person, enough nylon hose will be given for Christmas to keep skirts short for another year.

First Neighbor—What is your son taking at college?
Second Neighbor—All I've got

attorney) — What is alimony, Mother?
Mother—Alimony, my dear is a man's cash surrender value.

Country Constable — Pardon, miss, but swimming is not allowed in this lake
City Girl—Why didn't you tell me before I undressed?

Constable—Well, there ain't no law against undressing.

First lesson in how to reduce. Learn to push yourself away from the table

He—Sweets to the sweet
She—Thank you Have some nuts?

In many a case, the biggest stumbling block on the road to success is a chip on the shoulder. —*Gift*

Sailor—I see there is a rule against tips here
Waitress—Bless your heart. Apples were forbidden in the Garden of Eden

Now it's becoming the shopping daze

THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME (Registered U. S. Patent Office) By Jimmy Hatlo

FUNNY BUSINESS By Hershberger

"We couldn't find the rattle, but here's a box of headache tablets and you won't mind it so much!"

CARNIVAL By DICK TURNER

"It's addressed to 'Home Owner'—maybe you'd better forward it to the Jim Dandee Finance Corporation, at Main and Broad!"

SIDE GLANCES By GAILBRAITH

"We can't stay for the third movement of the symphony, dear—it's time to go home and turn on the wrestling matches!"

OUT OUR WAY By J. R. WILLIAMS

OUR BOARDING HOUSE - - - with - - - MAJOR HOOPLE

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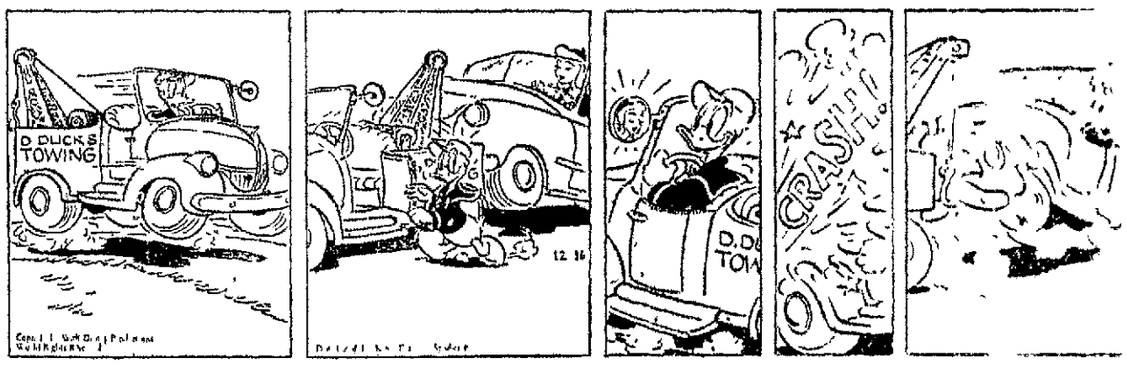

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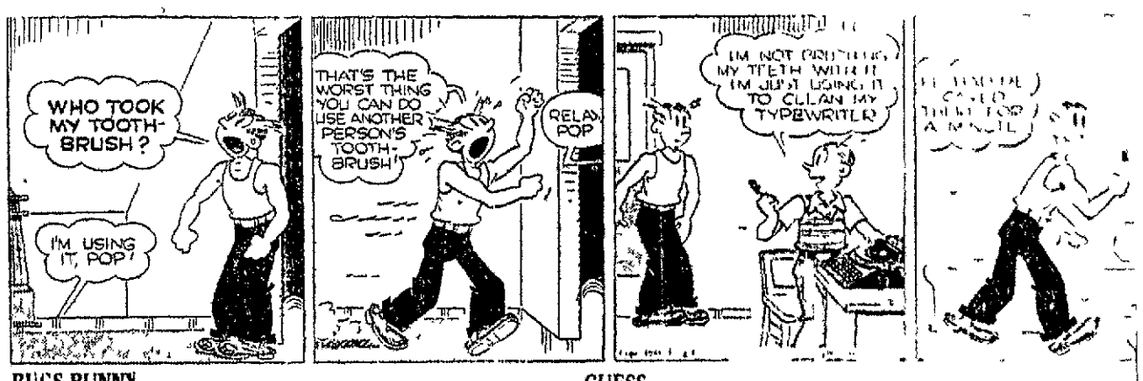

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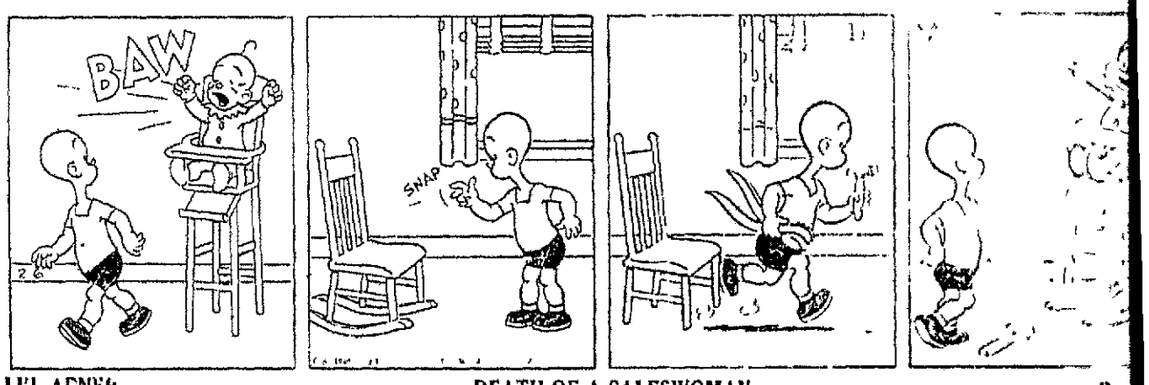

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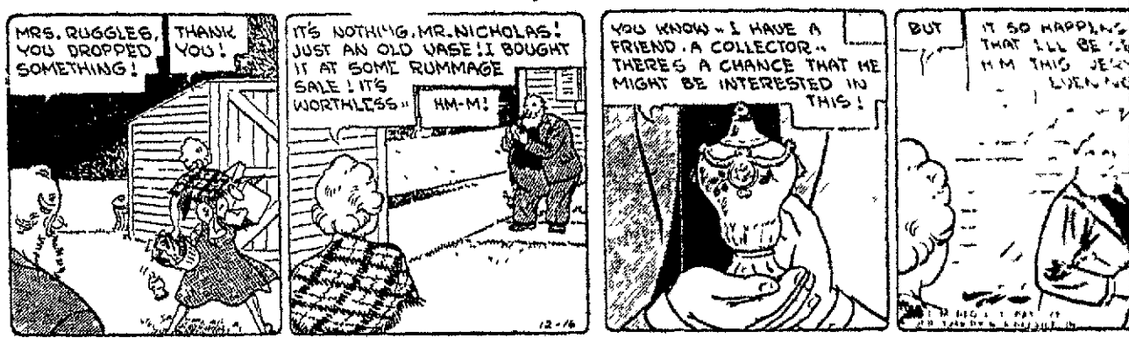

ALLEY OOP AT THE PARTY By V. T. HA

As Pegler Sees It

Jimmy Byrnes is in wrong all over now, therefore, can speak freely. He has been doing so. His speech to the Conference of Southern Governors at Biloxi a few weeks ago was better than either of Eisenhower's. He isn't going anywhere. He has nothing to lose.

He is in wrong with Truman not only because of their rivalry and Jimmy's feeling that he should have had the job and would have done better but because he has been fomenting southern Democratic rebellion against the Marxian program which was forced on Truman by the Socialists and Communists. He is in wrong with the Republicans as an old, traditional enemy. Even the constitutional or States' Rights Democrats of the Southern Tier knew him as a New Dealer who turned square only when and because he was hopelessly outcast from Truman's circle.

So when Jimmy Byrnes speaks now he is the independentest man in politics.

In Biloxi he took a stand against further encroachments by the federal government on the sovereignty of the states, "at this time," meaning during Truman's time. Only by encroaching much further, through his Marxian program, can Truman hope for reelection. That is the basis of his welfare state program. Jimmy is against all that—"at this time."

Later, "when our budget permits," or when Truman is licked and out of the way, we might soberly consider whether to go on toward realization of the Master State. But, let Congress withdraw from fields of taxation which properly belong to the states, and the governor—he was speaking to a conference of southern governors, remember—the governor can give the people essential services at less cost and with fewer and lighter restrictions on them. Let Congress encourage the states to live and be again. Then the people might not want more federal power.

Strange, weird, it was of an old deep-south New Dealer to go on that way while, up north, Dewey, Stassen, and Ives and Aiken of Vermont, avowed Republicans all, have been cribbing and adapting the Roosevelt-Truman socialism, unionism, one worldism, on the desperate, cynical plea that you can't run the government unless you get elected.

"Nearly 40 per cent of the money now spent by the states comes from the federal treasury as grants in aid," said Jimmy Byrnes. "The failure of state government to provide efficient government is generally due to the fact that the federal government has stepped in and monopolized most sources of taxation. I suggest that the federal government stop doing for the people those things that they can do for themselves or which can be done by local governments. We would not have an ever-expanding government if the people were conscious of the taxes they pay to the federal government. When the government required employers to withhold income tax from employes, it put the workers to sleep."

What are those deep-south Democrats fixing to use in the way of a candidate in 1952? On the basis of such talk, Byrnes and his people can't vote for Truman. This is preliminary fixing. This may be spiritual preparation for the shock of voting for Taft—or Eisenhower, if he is your guess—on some special ticket slugged States' Rights or the Constitutional Party. It certainly isn't Truman propaganda that Mr. Byrnes is orating.

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BARBS

By HAL COCHRAN

Parents can at least be thankful that their kids keep out of more trouble than they get into.

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A man was pinched for blowing his auto horn for 20 minutes. The penalty for being on a toot.

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It was so foggy in a western city a man was hired to walk

ahead of a bus and tell the driver where he should go. How often we've wanted to do that!

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Cause for divorce: falling in love at first sight and right out again at first slight.

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If you think we need more radio comedians, you can't be paying any attention to the commercials.

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There are no railroads in Afghanistan.

EAT WELL for Less

HEARTY EGGNOG IS TRADITIONAL

TRADITIONAL BOWL—The old-fashioned holiday party brings cheery egg-nog, fruit cake and sandwiches.

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

There must be a Christmas tree and at least one eggnog party in every traditional Yuletide season. The tree is a feast for the eyes. The eggnog is a combination of eggs and dairy foods spiced with friendship.

You need a great-hearted punch bowl of silver, china or glass, a large ladle and small punch cups in profusion. Arrange all these symbols of holiday welcome on a conveniently placed table. As each guest arrives, he is greeted with a cup of eggnog.

Remember that eggnog, with its base of milk and cream, is a real food even though served in party spirit. Because of this, only light side refreshments need to be served with it, such as highly flavored butter sandwiches and fruit cake.

Traditional Eggnogg
(Makes about 25 punch cups)

Six eggs, 2/3 cup sugar, 1½ quarts milk, ½ teaspoon salt, 1½ quarts light cream, 2 tablespoons vanilla, 1 cup heavy cream, grated nutmeg.

Beat eggs and sugar together until all grains of sugar have dissolved. Add milk and salt and chill in refrigerator overnight or for at least four or more hours. When ready to serve, add light cream which has been thoroughly chilled and vanilla. Pour into punch bowl. Beat cold heavy cream until frothy and pour over eggnog; sprinkle with grated nutmeg.

Ice Cream Nog
(Makes about 25 punch cups)

One quart vanilla or eggnog ice cream (bulk), 6 eggs, ¼ teaspoon salt, 2½ quarts milk, 2 to 3 tablespoons vanilla, grated nutmeg.

If ice cream is purchased far in advance, place in freezing compartment of refrigerator. Remove about 15 minutes before ready to use. To prepare ice cream nog: Add salt to eggs in mixing bowl; beat until light and frothy. Stir in milk and vanilla. Chill. When ready to serve, pour milk-egg mixture into punch bowl. Add ice cream in large spoonfuls and sprinkle grated nutmeg over top.

TOMORROW'S MENU

BREAKFAST: Stewed dried fruit, buttered waffles, syrup or honey, coffee, milk.

LUNCHEON: Tomato juice, toasted cheese and chopped vegetable sandwiches, chopped lettuce sandwiches, baked apples, tea, milk.

DINNER: Broiled halibut steak, parsley lemon butter, boiled potatoes, buttered broccoli, Melba toast, apple pie, coffee, milk.

McKenney on Bridge

Contract Made by Losing First Trick

♠ 7 6
♥ K 8
♦ A J 10 9 4 3
♣ 7 6 2

♠ A J 10 9 8 2
♥ 7 5 3
♦ 7
♣ K 10 5

N / W E / S / Dealer

♠ 4 3
♥ Q J 10 9 2
♦ K 8 5
♣ J 9 8

Mrs. Helene Kelly

♠ K Q 5
♥ A 6 4
♦ Q 6 2
♣ A Q 4 3

Tournament—Both vul.

South	West	North	East
1 N.T.	2♠	3♦	Pass
3 N.T.	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♠ J 16

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority
Written for NEA Service

At times you can watch bridge for a whole evening and not pick up a hand that is worthwhile. However, when I kibitzed at Mrs. Helene Kelly's duplicate game in Atlantic City, N. J., I was fortunate in securing six interesting hands.

Today's hand came up at the table where Mrs. Kelly was playing and it brings out a point that a great many beginners at contract miss.

Against Mrs. Kelly's three no trump contract West opened the jack of spades. The average player will win this trick with the queen, hoping that West will get in and have to lead another spade up to the king-five in declarer's hand.

But you can see what Mrs. Kelly (sitting South) had to do was to establish the diamond suit in order to make nine tricks. She had to hope that West had six spades. She let West's jack of spades hold the first trick. West continued with the ten of spades, which Mrs. Kelly won with the queen.

Now she led the queen of diamonds. When East won this trick with the king he did not have a spade to return. He returned a club and Mrs. Kelly did not even bother to take the club finesse. She went right up with the ace even though the queen might have held the trick.

She now was able to cash five diamonds, two hearts, one club and one spade to make her contract.

In refusing to win the first spade trick Mrs. Kelly gave herself two chances. West might become anxious and play the ace of spades and then lead the third spade, in which case, if the spades were divided 5-3 the contract would have been made.

Green Says I.C.F.T.U. Will Be Strong Factor

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, says the new International Confederation of Free Trade Unions "will be a strong factor in promoting world peace and security."

Green returned yesterday aboard the liner Queen Mary after attending the union conference in London.

The cooperation between the A.F.L. and the C.I.O. at the labor sessions, he said, "ought to contribute toward bringing about national unity" among American labor groups.

Also arriving home was David McDonald, secretary-treasurer of the C.I.O. Steel Workers Union. Commenting on the labor parley, he said:

"We believe these free men have served notice on Stalin and various agencies run by him, including the World Federation of Trade Unions, that it is our intention to push the doctrine of Communism behind the Volga (river)."

Gale Unites Newburgh Woman and Brother

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—A fierce gale outside Cherbourg forced harbor pilot Guy Frelaut, 46, to make the voyage on the Queen Mary and thereby brought about a reunion with his sister when the liner docked here yesterday.

The sister, Mrs. Yvonne F. Turrell, of 128 Third Street, Newburgh, N. Y., was on hand to meet Frelaut.

He last visited New York 30 years ago, when serving as a merchant seaman. He will sail for home tonight.

He said it was the first time in 18 years that rough water prevented him from leaving a ship after taking it out of the harbor.

Scientists 'Read' Leaves

Riverside, Calif., (AP)—They are "reading" orange leaves here, but not the way a fortune teller scans tea leaves. University of California chemists grind up orange leaves and analyze them to see what the plant needs in the way of food. "You are about to meet a tall, handsome bag of fertilizer," is the forecast for an orange tree that shows it's hungry by what is lacking in its leaves.

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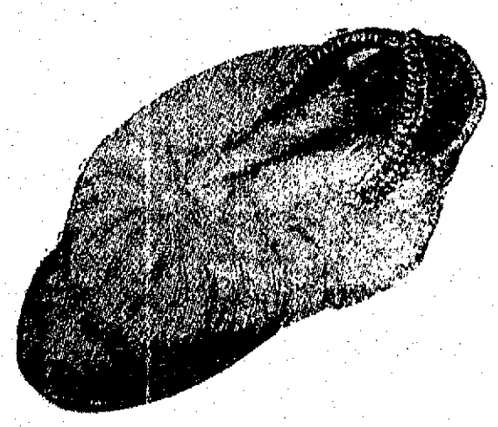

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A.W.O.L. Hudson Man Tired of Running Away

Chicago, Dec. 16 (AP)—A 22-year-old coast guardsman walked into a police station here yesterday, said he had been absent without leave for three years, and was "tired of running away."

Police Lt. Joseph Cavanaugh held the young man, Harry Kenney, of (20 Allen street) Hudson, N. Y., for coast guard authorities.

"I don't know why I went A.W.O.L. I just went," Cavanaugh quoted Kenney as saying.

He told police he had joined the coast guard five years ago, and did not return to his post after a furlough in Bremerton, Wash.

He said he had supported himself by itinerant farm labor "because I knew they would not take my fingerprints."

The beaver is a rodent.

Cheerless Christmas

Ossining, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—It will be a cheerless, giftless [illegible] condemned lonely hearts slayer awaiting execution in Sing Sing's death house. Prison authorities said yesterday that condemned criminals are not allowed to send or receive Christmas presents. Mrs. Beck and her condemned lover, Raymond Fernandez, 34, can not receive even Christmas cards except from a selected list of close relatives. They are awaiting electrocution for the swindle slaying of Mrs. Janet Fay in a mail-order marriage racket.

Many peoples of the [illegible] the eating of insects [illegible] survival.

The teletype, modern [illegible] transmitting typewriter [illegible] beginning as far back [illegible]

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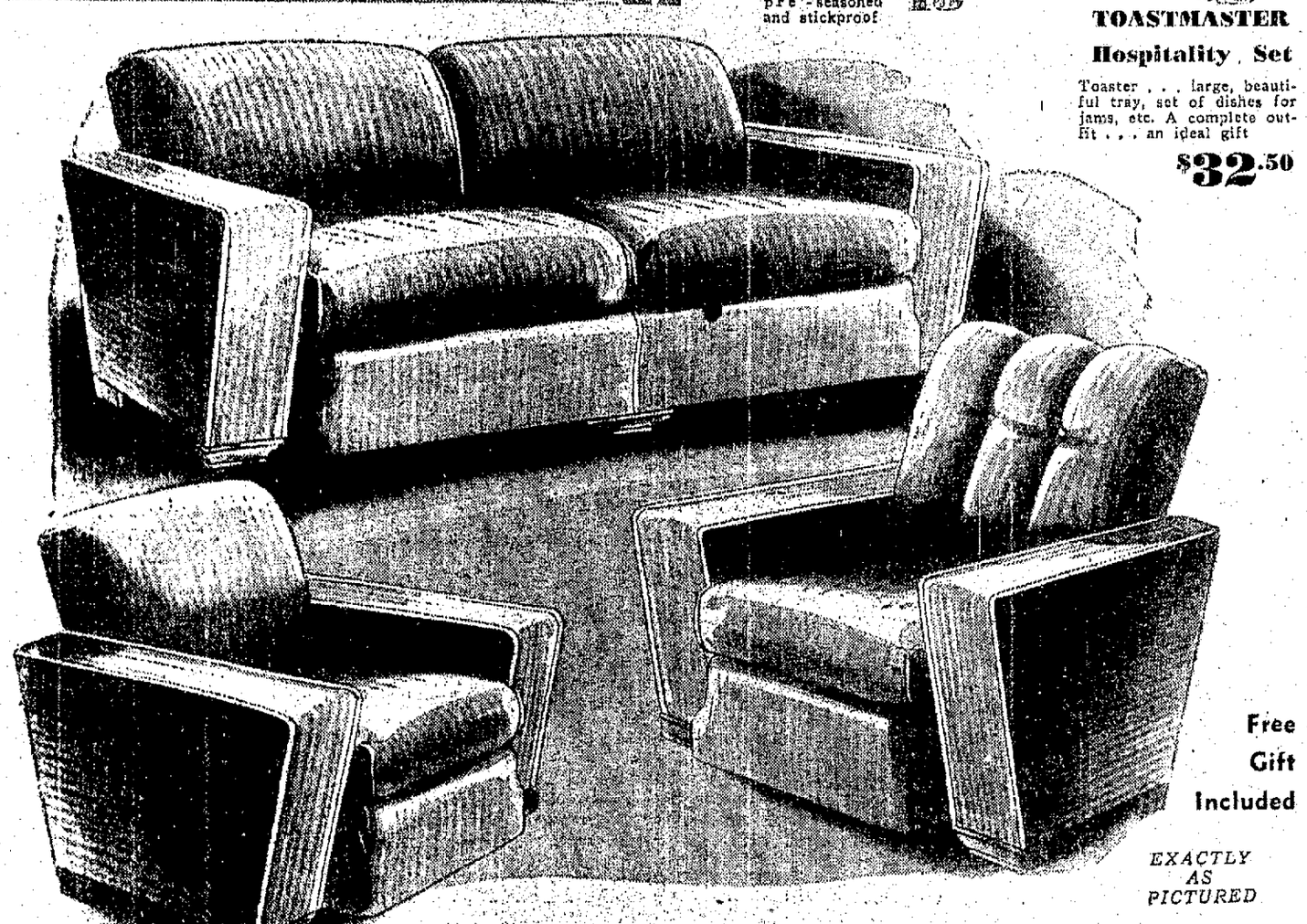

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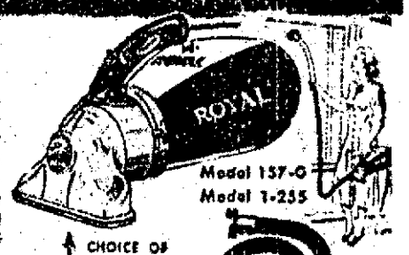

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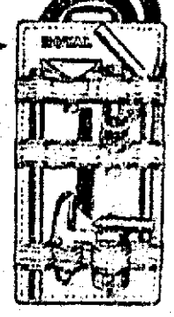

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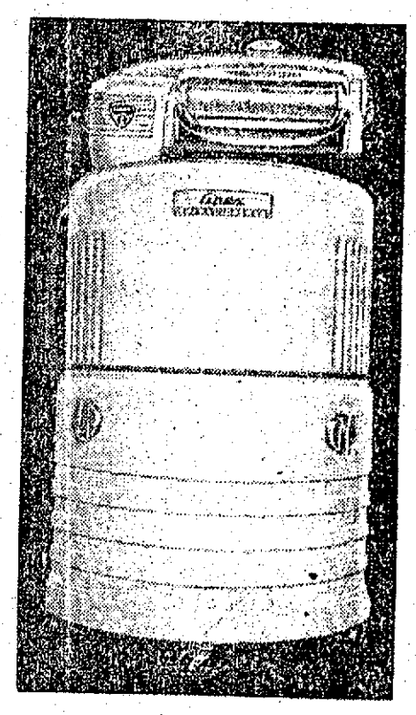

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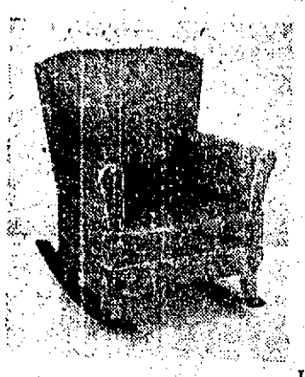

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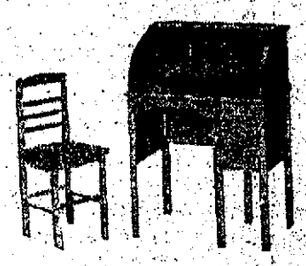

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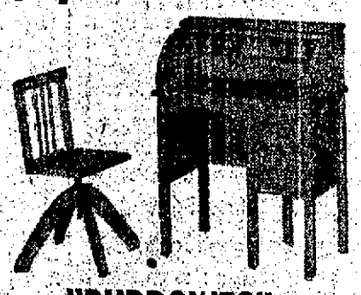

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Child, 2, Sees First Time; Is Breathless

Pico, Calif., Dec. 15 (AP) — "Lights, daddy, lots 'n' lots a light!"

This breathless cry came yesterday from two-year-old Suzanne Bish. The joy the exclamation brought to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bish, wasn't so much because their daughter was seeing her first Christmas tree. It was because she was seeing—for the first time.

Little Suzanne was born with cataracts over both pupils. Specialists said that with a series of expensive operations she could see.

Bish's American Legion buddies immediately launched a "Sight for Suzanne" campaign.

Suzanne underwent her fourth operation two weeks ago. She needs only one more.

It will be a bright Christmas for her.

This Christmas—give her a beautiful surprise! Give her the kind of slips and gowns she's always dreamt of! Frothy with lace . . . soft and sleek because they're so immaculately fabric-ed of fine rayon crepes and nylon . . . ever-so-femininely styled to meet her daintiest tastes, in delicate tints ranging from eggshell blue to ivory. Come choose today!

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TWO PEOPLE, 28 FINGERS—This man and his wife have seven fingers on each hand, but that's not unusual where they live. In their village of Cervera de Buitrago, Spain, a five-fingered person is a freak. Almost every one of the 300 inhabitants has at least six fingers on one or both hands. Some have as many as nine. Close intermarriage and village restrictions that keeps out settlers with the normal number of fingers produced this odd situation.

Pitching Horseshoes

By BILLY ROSE

The Tantrum Department

Scene: The Stork Club, New York.

Time: 2:30 a. m.

"What I can't understand," said a theatre manager, "is why nine actors out of ten have a yen to bawl out the audience."

"You get sucker-sore," said an actor.

"You get what?" I asked.

"Sucker-sore," repeated the actor. "Night after night you see them gawking at you as though you were a tatooed lady or a two-headed calf. Remember the case of the circus giant?"

"No," I said.

"There wasn't much to it," said the actor. "The giant got off his platform one night and started beating up a guy in the crowd. No one special, you understand—just a guy. When they finally calmed the giant down, all he said was, 'I just got sucker-sore.'"

"You know how nice a gal Jane Cowl is," said a press agent. "Well, in London she once held up a show until a noisy guy in a box stood up and apologized to the whole crowd."

"The best audience bawling out of all," said the manager, "was the one that Henry Miller . . ."

"John Barrymore was a dilly at it," interrupted the actor. "Of course, you all know about the time when the audience was coughing too much, and he threw a fish into the fifth row and said, 'Share this among you, you seals!'"

"It was in Pittsburgh," said the manager, "that Miller once . . ."

"How about the Englishman who was playing 'Hamlet,'" said the press agent, "and didn't like the way the audience was sitting on its hands. The one who started playing catch with the gravedigger, using the skull for a ball."

The manager tried again. "Once, Henry Miller . . ."

"Richard Bennett topped them all in the tantrum department," said the actor. "One night in Atlanta the steam pipes began to knock, and he stepped down to the footlights and said, 'When the engineer finishes playing pinochle and takes care of the plumbing, the play will resume.' And he stood there and glowered until the racket stopped."

"When Henry Miller . . ." began the manager.

"This time," I said, "let him tell it."

"When Henry Miller opened in 'The Great Divide,' the first tryout was in Pittsburgh, and Henry got plenty sore when the critics panned the play and accused him of hamming it up. In New York, however, the play was a smash and ran for two seasons.

"When the show went on tour, the first stand penciled in by the booking office was a repeat in Pittsburgh, but this time the critics reversed themselves and said both Miller and the play were fine.

"One night in the middle of his big love scene with Margaret Anglin, Henry noticed that several customers were sneaking up the aisle and making for the exit.

"'Get back to your seats,' he yelled. 'The last time I played this oversized smudge-pot, I was insulted and I don't propose to let it happen again!'

"The people went back to their seats and the play went on, but a few seconds later another bunch got up and began to leave. This time Miller almost threw a fit.

"'Knaves and varlets,' he screamed, 'back to your seats!'

"Margaret Anglin grabbed him by the sleeve. 'Stop acting like a jackass, Henry,' she said. 'The theatre's on fire.'"

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Engineers Suggest New York City Tap Great Lake

New York, Dec. 15 (AP)—Two prominent engineers today supported the proposal that water-short New York city tap Lake Ontario for added water supplies.

In the opinion of George J. Atwell, Jr., and Rodman B. Doremus, of the George J. Atwell Construction Co., twin pipe lines beneath the canals and rivers in the Mohawk and Hudson valleys could bring to the city "around 300,000,000 gallons a day—every day, dry or wet."

The plan to bring water from Lake Ontario was suggested Tuesday in a letter from Mayor Frank J. Gould, of Oswego, N. Y., to Mayor William O'Dwyer. He said New York could obtain a "never failing supply of water" if it extended its present pipe lines from Catskill Mountain reservoirs into Lake Ontario at Oswego.

However, Edward J. Clark, chief engineer of the New York city water department, said the plan was "not practical economically, nor feasible because of the distance."

Clark said the city's present pipe lines extend only about 125 miles into the Catskill Mountains, while Lake Ontario is 450 miles away. He also said a vast series of pumping stations would be required, because Lake Ontario is so low.

Atwell, whose firm laid the foundations for Rockefeller Center and bored portions of the Sixth avenue subway, estimated that twin pipe lines from Lake Ontario at Oswego would cost roughly $200,000,000 to $250,000,000.

The two engineers reasoned that "if the state's waterways can flow by gravity down to this city from Oswego, why can't conduits underneath the very same routes?"

Their proposed twin pipelines would stretch about 20 miles south of Oswego to the Oswego Canal, thence east along the Mohawk valley. Leaving the Oswego Canal above Syracuse, it would follow the Erie Canal to Troy, and down the Hudson river to New York. It was conceded pumping stations would be needed.

Insecticide Will Be Sold in 1950

By FRANK CAREY
Associated Press Science Reporter

Tampa, Fla., Dec. 15 (AP)—A man-made and potentially cheaper counterpart of one of the world's best-known natural insecticides for household use is slated to make its commercial bow next year.

It's a close reproduction of the natural insecticide "pyrethrum" which comes from daisy-like flowers of that same name.

Natural pyrethrum—either in the form of dust of the flower heads, or as an extract of them—has been used for more than a century. It's noted for its "quick knock down" effect on mosquitoes and flies, and for its safety to humans and animals.

Until now, the United States has had to import pyrethrum flowers from Africa to produce the bug-killer.

But recently, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine announced laboratory developments of "pyerthrin-like compounds." The pyrethrins are the active substances in pyrethrum.

Today, a government scientist announced that several companies are working on industrial production and that it's expected the synthetic material will be made available some time during the 1950 growing season.

In addition to use against household pests, it's slated for action against aphids and some other crop pests in instances where a quick knockdown effect is desired without leaving a chemical residue on the product.

Garlic Is Dropped.

Tampa, Fla., Dec. 15 (AP)—The navy today described an attempted weapon of the Pacific war which didn't pan out—garlic.

Capt. A. R. Behnke, a naval doctor, said garlic was fed to certain gobs in "large quantities" as a possible repellent for mosquitoes which plagued the navy's fighters.

But Behnke said the 'skeeters showed "complete indifference" to the aroma—and kept right on boring in.

He offered no comment on how the garlicy guinea-pig sailors got along with the rest of the fleet.

Bulgarian Papers Hail Sentence of Traicho Kostov

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 15 (AP)—Bulgarian newspapers today hailed the death sentence by hanging of former Deputy Premier Traicho Kostov, who was found guilty yesterday of treason, spying and sabotage.

In addition to the death sentence, Kostov was stripped of his civil rights "forever," fined a million leva ($3,500) and all of his property was confiscated.

Five of his co-defendants who were sentenced to life imprisonment also were fined a million leva each and permanently deprived of their civil rights (which means neither they nor their families can collect social security, pensions or other claims from the government and the men cannot hold public office or vote).

The other five defendants, found guilty of blanket charges they plotted with Marshal Tito and the Anglo-Americans to overthrow the present regime, spied and committed economic sabotage, received lesser fines in keeping with their prison sentences ranging from eighth to 15 years and lost their civil rights for from 10 to 20 years.

Morning papers in the Bulgarian capital praised the sentence against Kostov, who was once No. 2 Communist in the country. They said the court had shown magnanimity in giving less severe sentences to the rest of the defendants.

Bus for Shoppers

A Shaver bus will leave the Crown Street Terminal for Port Ewen each night at 9:30 o'clock beginning Friday and continuing through December 23, for the convenience of workers and shoppers.

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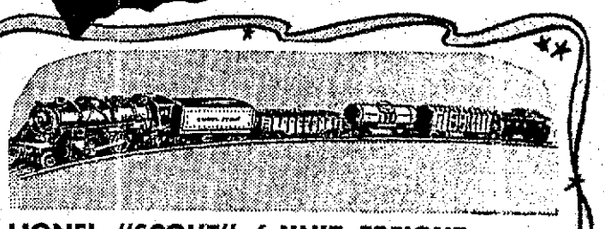

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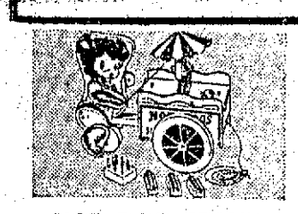

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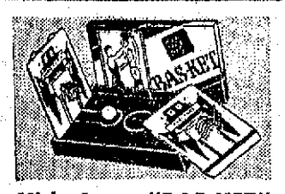

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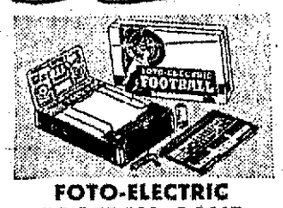

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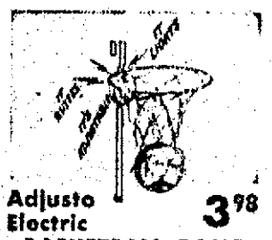

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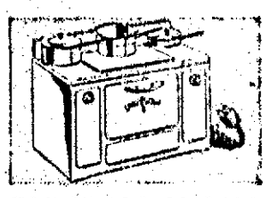

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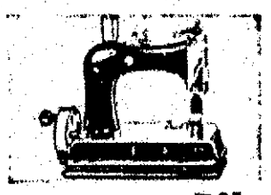

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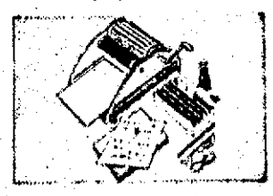

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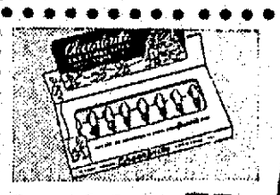

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USO Drive Set For January or Early February

The Ulster county U.S.O. fund campaign is expected to start in late January or early February, Sidney Lane, county chairman of the drive, said today.

Meanwhile, the Upstate New York Campaign Committee announced that many communities in counties where the drive is already under way "report 100 per cent of quota or better." Leading the list are Hartford in Washington county and Dale in Wyoming county.

The upstate committee also stresses that there are five veterans hospitals in the upstate area with a patient census of more than 3,000. A sixth veterans facility will open soon in Buffalo and ground has been broken for a 500-bed veterans hospital in Syracuse.

The U.S.O. camp shows, says the committee, "is a small payment on the debt of remembrance we owe the 100 000 veterans in hospitals across the country."

Another point emphasized was that the nation is "giving our young soldiers the best training and the best education of any army in the world. But we cannot give them the best all-around environment without civilian assistance"

All Are Accounted

Sioux City, Ia., Dec. 16 (AP)—With 18 bodies recovered from debris of the Swift and Company plant explosion, officials of the firm said today that all who were in the building have been accounted for Seven of the 55 persons still in hospitals were on the critical list. H A Franklin, safety engineer for the Iowa Commerce Commission was assigned last night to make an inspection today in preparation for a full-scale commission investigation of the tragedy Monday.

Jewels Are Stolen

Sunninghill, England Dec. 16 (AP)—Miss Marjorie Cunliffe-Owen, heiress to a tobacco fortune, reported today the theft of $56,000 worth of jewelry from her country house. Also missing are two fur coats valued at $8,400 each. It was the second raid on Miss Cunliffe-Owen's gems in two years. In 1947 she reported the loss of another $56,000 worth while staying at the Ascot home of the late Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen, tobacco millionaire, racehorse owner and yachtsman.

Would Penalize Elks

The Dutchess County A.B.C. Board has recommended revocation of the Beacon Elks Club liquor license the Poughkeepsie New Yorker said yesterday. The recommendation was made at a meeting of the board at Millbrook yesterday and said it was based on reports by employes of the board that the club had permitted gambling on the licensed premises The recommendation will go to the State Liquor Authority, the report said and it indicated that slot machines had been found on the premises

Card of Thanks

Through this medium we wish to express our sincere thanks and deepest appreciation to the clergy, county and city officials, fraternal organizations civic groups and friends at the time of the passing of the late Dr Joseph H. Rosenberg

Signed
PEGGY,
HELMA and HELEN

DIED

ECKERT—Suddenly at Wittenberg, N. Y, Thursday, December 15, 1949, Walter M. Eckert, brother of Mrs. Cora Sterns, Mrs Martha Angevine and Mrs Minnie Hornbeck.

Funeral service at the Lasher Funeral Home, Woodstock, Saturday, December 17, at 2 p. m. Interment in Woodstock Cemetery.

LIAKOS—Entered into rest Friday, December 16, 1949, Christopher Liakos of 686 Broadway.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the Jenson & Deegan Funeral Home, 15 Downs street, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial in Montrepose Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Saturday and Sunday.

LONGENDYKE — Suddenly at Brooklyn, N. Y, December 14, 1949, Frank D. Longendyke, husband of Eva Longendyke, father of Kenneth and Clifton Longendyke, Mrs. Arline Urell and Miss Shirley Longendyke; brother of Mrs Le Etta Beesmer, Mrs. John Teslo, Mrs Adeline Bush, John and James Longendyke

Funeral services will be held from the W. N Conner Funeral Home, 296 Fair street, Saturday at 11 a m Interment in Woodstock Cemetery.

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SANTA GETS A TICKET—Part-time Santa Claus Vincent Dombrose of Cleveland, O., ran afoul of a parking meter and got a ticket for overtime parking. Like any ordinary citizen, Santa is seen paying his fine to June Kelly, a traffic division clerk.

Local Death Record

Christopher Liakos, who was employed in a restaurant at 592 Broadway, died this morning at the Kingston Hospital. The funeral will be held from the Jenson and Deegan Funeral Home, 15 Downs street, Monday at 2 p. m. Burial will be in Montrepose Cemetery.

The funeral of Arthur G. Lacey who died in Philadelphia, Pa., December 12, was held from the parlors of A. Carr & Son, 1 Pearl street, Thursday at 2 p. m. Services were conducted by the Rev. Robert T. Shollenberger, rector of St John's Episcopal Church. Burial was in Montrepose Cemetery.

Walter M Eckert of Wittenberg died suddenly at his home Thursday He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Cora Sterns, Jamaica, L. I, Mrs Martha Angevine, Wittenberg; and Mrs. Minnie Hornbeck, Walden, and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held from the Lasher Funeral Home in Woodstock on Saturday at 2 p. m. conducted by the Rev. Harvey I. Todd. Burial will be in the Woodstock Cemetery.

Roderic C. St Leger, 56, a former resident of Kingston, died suddenly this morning at his home in Napanoch. Born in Tottenville, S I, Mr St Leger was the son of Reginald St Leger and the late Amy Sloan St. Leger He was a professional engineer for the Board of New York Water Supply and had resided in Kingston from 1937 to 1948 when he removed to Napanoch He is survived by a daughter, Beverly C. St Leger; a son, R Harry St Leger, at home, his father, Reginald, New Paltz, three brothers, Gaspard, Kingston; Geoffrey and Victor, Staten Island, and a sister, Eva Tong, Quincy, Mass. He was a member of Kingston Lodge, 10, F & A M, Mt. Horeb Chapter, R.A.M, and Mecca Temple Shrine, Albany Masonic services will be held Sunday at 8 p. m., at the Pulling Funeral Home in Ellenville. Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p m. from the Pulling Funeral Home and burial will take place Tuesday at the convenience of the family in Fairview Cemetery, S. I.

Funeral of Mrs Sabyna M. Howley of Kingston was held on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from the W. N. Conner Funeral Home and at St Joseph's Church at 9:30 o'clock where a Mass of requiem was offered by the Rev. James J Keating Within the chancel was the Rev. Austin V Carey Responses were sung by the children's choir, assisted at the organ by Mrs Frank Rafferty. Many friends and members of the Catholic Daughters of America attended the requiem as a last token of respect to Mrs. Howley. Wednesday evening the Catholic Daughters of America, Court Santa Maria, No. 164, led by their grand regent, Mrs. Vincent A. Gorman, assembled at the funeral home and assisted the Rev Carey in reciting the Rosary. Later in the evening the Rt Rev. Msgr Stephen P. Connelly, P.R., and the Rev Joseph J. Keating called and assisted by relatives and friends present recited the Rosary Among the clergy visiting the funeral home and offering prayers for the dead was the Rev John D. Simmons. Many floral pieces were banked about the casket and there were many spiritual bouquets in the form of Mass cards. Burial was in the family plot in St Mary's Cemetery where final absolution and blessing was given by Father Simmons and Father Carey.

Mexican Plane Reported

Mexico City, Dec. 16 (AP)—A Mexican plane with 17 passengers aboard was reported four hours overdue today at Veracruz.

Hetenyi Found Guilty

Rochester, N. Y., Dec 16 (AP)—The Rev. George P. Hetenyi, 40-year-old Episcopal clergyman, was found guilty today of second degree murder in the shooting of his wife Following the discovery of her body in the Genesee river on April 23, he was charged with first degree murder. The clergyman has steadfastly maintained he was innocent. Monroe County Judge Daniel J. O'Mara set January 16 for sentencing The maximum sentence for second degree murder is 20 years to life.

Negotiation Snagged

London, Dec. 16 (AP)—Official British sources say that negotiations for a British-U. S. arms aid pact have snagged on Britain's objections that she may have to put up much more than she will get. These sources said last night Britain's share of the billion-dollar Atlantic Pact arms program may not be more than $20,000,000. France, they pointed out, will get the largest arms aid, Britain "by far the smallest."

Soekarno Is Elected

Batavia, Java, Dec. 16 (AP)—Radio Jogjakarta announced today that President Soekarno of the Indonesian republic has been elected first president of the new United States of Indonesia. He is to be sworn in tomorrow morning. The new nation in the rich East Indies is to come into formal being shortly after Christmas, when the Dutch turn over to the Indonesians the reins of government they have held for three centuries

Lie Is Not Candidate

Lake Success, Dec. 16 (AP)—U.N. Secretary-General Trygve Lie announced today he is not a candidate for reappointment as the executive head of the United Nations His five-year term expires in January, 1951. He told a news conference that he had nothing further to say beyond that brief answer to questions put to him after the U.N. Assembly adjourned.

Pageant Rehearsal

A dress rehearsal for the entire cast of "The Coming of the Christ Child," a pageant to be presented Sunday night by the Sunday school of the Reformed Church of the Comforter, will be held Saturday at 7:30 p. m. in the church hall. The pageant will be enacted Sunday at 7:30 p. m. in the church hall. Choirs will not need gowns for the rehearsal.

Oma Suspended, Fined

Detroit, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Michigan Boxing Commission today suspended Heavyweight Lee Oma for failing to fight Joe Louis. Oma was also fined $500.

SENATOR'S A SODA JERK—U. S. Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey of Minnesota spends his time during the recess of Congress helping out in the family's drug store in Huron, S. D. Although a graduate pharmacist and a partner in the business, Humphrey also pitches in behind the soda fountain, where he is seen lending a hand (and a dishcloth) to Delores Timm.

Financial and Commercial

Quotations by Morgan Davis & Co members of the New York Stock Exchange 60 Beaver street, New York city, branch office, 41 John street, R. B Osterhoudt manager

QUOTATIONS AT 2 O'CLOCK

American Airlines	9⅛
American Can Co	102
American Chain Co	
American Locomotive Co	15
American Rolling Mills	28¾
American Radiator	14
Am Smelting & Refining Co	55¼
American Tel & Tel	146⅝
American Tobacco	74¼
Anaconda Copper	28⅝
Atch Topeka & Santa Fe	99
Aviation Corporation	5¾
Baldwin Locomotive	10⅝
Baltimore & Ohio R R.	9¾
Bendix	36¼
Bethlehem Steel	32⅛
Borden	48¼
Briggs Mfg Co.	29¼
Burlington Mills	19⅝
Burroughs Adding Mach Co	14
Canadian Pacific Ry.	14⅜
Case, J I	40¾
Celanese Corp	33¾
Central Hudson	9⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio R R	29¼
Chrysler Corp	64¼
Columbia Gas & Elec Co.	12⅞
Commercial Solvents	19¼
Consolidated Edison	28⅞
Continental Oil	65
Continental Can Co.	36¼
Curtis Wright Common	7½
Cuban American Sugar	15½
Delaware & Hudson	29¼
Douglas Aircraft	67¼
Eastern Airlines	14
Eastman Kodak	47½
Electric Autolite	44
Electric Boat	15
E I DuPont	60⅝
Erie R R	10½
General Electric Co	41
General Motors	69¾
General Foods Corp	48½
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	41
Great Northern Pfd.	40⅛
Hercules Powder	50
Hudson Motors	13⅝
Ill. Central	34¼
Int. Harvester Co	29
International Nickel	28
Int. Paper	69¼
Int Tel. & Tel	9¾
Johns-Manville & Co.	47½
Jones & Laughlin	27⅞
Kennecott Copper	50¼
Liggett Myers Tob B.	88¼
Loew's, Inc	17
Lockheed Aircraft	22¾
Mack Truck Inc	12⅜
McKesson & Robbins	40
Montgomery Ward & Co.	54⅛
Nash Kelvinator	15¾
National Biscuit	40
National Dairy Products	38¼
New York Central R R.	11
North American Co	19¼
Northern Pacific Co	18⅞
Packard Motors	3¾
Pan American Airways	8¼
Paramount Pictures	22¼
J. C. Penney	57
Pennsylvania R R.	16⅛
Pepsi Cola	9
Phelps Dodge	47¾
Phillips Petroleum	62½
Public Service (Elec. & Gas)	25¼
Pullman Co	34¼
Radio Corp of America	12½
Republic Steel	23⅝
Reynolds Tobacco Class B	38
Rubberoid	53
Schenley	31⅜
Sears Roebuck & Co.	43⅛
Sinclair Oil	23¾
Socony Vacuum	17¼
Southern Pacific	49¼
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Western Union Tel Co.	18½
Westinghouse El & Mfg Co	31⅝
Woolworth Co (F.W.)	47⅜
Youngstown Sheet & Tube.	76⅝

"BOOKIE" — Joseph Edward Nelson, 17, of Rome, Italy, breezed through the University of Chicago in 30 hours, passing tests that proved he has the equivalent of a college education and qualifying him for graduate work in mathematics The boy said he was "a little surprised" at setting a new speed record at Chicago

Full-Scale Strike

man should ask Congress, when it reconvenes next month, to adopt new legislation

In another move against Lewis, leading producers predicted privately that virtually the entire industry will hold back the Dec. 20 payments into the miners welfare and pension fund

The operators pay 20 cents on every ton of coal produced to finance the fund If those payments don't come in, Lewis is expected to take some action It may be a call for a new coal strike

President Joseph E Moody of the Southern Coal Producers Association, after a special meeting of his board of directors, wrote a seven-page letter to Mr Truman yesterday asking him to use the Taft-Hartley Act and any possible anti-trust laws against Lewis

At Key West Fla the President's chief labor advisers said the request would be ignored. They said Mr Truman had not yet read Moody's letter and was displeased by announcement of the move before the letter reached him

Synagogue News

Ahavath Israel

Congregation Ahavath Israel, Dr Philip H Weinberg, rabbi—A late Friday evening service will be held tonight at 8 o clock. The children of the Hebrew School will participate Rabbi Weinberg will preach on the Hanukkah theme, 'Behold the Dreamer Cometh" Following the service, refreshments will be served in the vestry hall as part of the social hour A Hanukkah program by the Ahavath Israel Hebrew and Sunday school will be presented Sunday at 2 30 p m in the vestry hall

SANTA'S TOPS—Jacob Hudson Nacken, perhaps the world's tallest Santa at 7 feet, 8 inches in his Christmas stocking feet, is here being outfitted by a man on a stepladder before "going on" at a kiddies' party in a New York hospital. To do his "St. Nickin," Nacken was imported from Germany.

Crowd Is Expected At Movies for Food Collection

Employes of Reade's Kingston Theatre today planned to handle a large supply of canned goods after Saturday's special show for children, featuring two hours of cartoons and other films favored by juvenile moviegoers

Manager Betty Riseley of the uptown theatre said "we expect a full house for the special Saturday morning feature, and are making preparations early." Starting time is 10 a m

Admission to the show is an article of canned food Manager Riseley instituted the practice last year, and at the end of the performance the lobby of Reade's looked like a wholesale grocery market.

The food is distributed to needy families throughout the city by members of the Kingston Boys Club

"We're planning to help the theatre again this year," said Alexander "Pop" Fuhrman, director of the club 'The project is a worthwhile one and we hope there will be a crowd at the movies Saturday morning."

Truman Will Get

man William Boyle, in Key West for talks with the President, told newsmen he is sure the American people will accept new taxes if Mr Truman decides they are necessary.

Key lawmakers have indicated strongly that Congress is not inclined to go along with any request for a tax boost, although it would approve a cut in excise levies.

Some excise taxes were put on for the first time during the war and some were increased They bring in around $3,500,000,000 a year That doesn't include the take from taxes on tobacco, railroad tickets, movie tickets, night club bills and a few other things.

Congressional authorities estimate the government would lose $2 300 000,000 a year by going back to the excise tax system in effect on Dec 7, 1941

All tax bills start out in the House Ways and Means Committee One of its members, Rep Lynch (D.-N.Y.), reacted this way to President Truman's remarks on taxes at Key West

"I think definitely excise taxes, if they can't be repealed, should be reduced at least 50 per cent. I'd favor repeal"

He told a reporter that "absolutely" he thinks the way to balance the budget is to cut spending instead of upping taxes.

Session Breaks Up

resume speaking when Parliament reconvened after a half hour recess

Reimann immediately submitted a resolution to enjoin Adenauer from taking any steps toward German remilitarization even though the occupying powers demand it

A direct vote on Reimann's resolution was avoided, however, by a parliamentary maneuver

A government coalition spokesman made a substitute motion that the rearmament question be considered as settled by the various party statements This motion was carried by a show of hands and the Parliament then moved on to discussion of other questions

Eisenhower Says

spoke at the annual dinner of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce

He told an audience of 5,000:

"I believe we should not forget that what the founding fathers of America strove for was the diffusion and decentralization of power—strove to keep power out of the hands of the central government to the detriment of the individuals

"If we can remember that if we surrender responsibility we must surrender a comparable amount of authority—if we can remember this and solve our own problems our own way—then the faith of our founding fathers that this nation can govern itself will be justified"

Earlier yesterday at a press conference he said again that he does not intend to enter the field of politics

And he emphasized he had no reaction to recent quoted statements by members of President Truman's staff that Eisenhower was acting like a (presidential) candidate

"Frankly," said Eisenhower, "I have no political angle and I'm not going to let any sort of talk by others make me a candidate."

No Word of Missing Man

Police said today they had received no further information on John Ahl, 84, of 55 Hoffman street, who, according to Mrs Fred Burger, 37 Hudson street, a daughter, has been missing from his home since December 6.

One fourth of the standing saw timber in the U. S. is Douglas Fir.

Communists Taste

are attempting to hold power in spite of economic reverses in two ways:

1 By intensive nationwide indoctrination, trying to convince a skeptical population that the present troubles merely are growing pains to greatness.

2. By direct military force at danger points.

There is no immediate danger of a major uprising against the Reds because the Communist party has or is permeating every phase of Chinese life to organize and to watch

The danger to the Red regime lies rather in the steady pressures of an unhappy people, the resistance of overburdened peasants who are short of food, the opposition of labor which is tired of promises and pay envelopes which already won't stretch far enough.

It looks to me as though the Reds must hold on by force until their program has a chance to work if indeed it ever can be made to work in a nation so poor and overcrowded it leaves little margin for experimentation

Summer floods cut crops The armies and the cities drained food from the countryside at a perilous rate once foreign ships stopped calling and that bountiful food source—America's Economic Cooperation Administration — disappeared.

The laws of economics began to catch up with the Reds early in the autumn. Like the Nationalists they simply spent more money than taxes could raise

So they had to start printing money

When the Communists entered Shanghai last May their dollar was quoted at 300 to $1 (U.S.) When I left Shanghai on Dec 9, one American dollar brought 16,500 Communist dollars, and up to 20,000 on the risky black market.

Controlled Rice Price

The Reds managed to control the rice price during most of the autumn by dumping rice in the cities every time the price jumped. It was becomming apparent late in November they were stripping the country to hold the line in the cities

City rice prices soared when the dumping stopped There was some looting of shops in Nanking Rice was climbing steadily when I left Shanghai but there was still plenty of it if you had the price

China can go through a major rice famine this winter but you may hear little about it. Newsmen in China are too busy with propaganda to bother about a famine

So far as the rank and file of Chinese are concerned the honeymoon is over

In the last three months I asked dozens of Chinese in all walks of life to give me their estimate of the percentage of the Chinese who favor the Red regime.

Outside of party members themselves the answers ranged from 60 to 90 per cent against the Communists

Very few seem to have any faith in the future under the Reds. These are the same people who felt the Kuomintang government had become corrupted then crumpled into uselessness and who hoped the Reds would bring new vitality and hope

Would they rather have the old Kuomintang government back? Most of them hesitate over that one But quite a number answered like this:

"At least I could make a living under the Kuomintang, not a very good living but a living"

U. S. Steel Hikes

a chain reaction which will weaken the economy"

Most top steel producers withheld comment on Big Steel's action. However, J L. Block, vice president in charge of sales of Inland Steel Corporation, declared Inland believes "higher prices are necessary to make up for increased costs."

Many Knights Are Expected at Mount

Indications are that a large turnout of Knights of Columbus will attend Sunday's Day of Recollection one day retreat sponsored by Kingston Council 275, at Mt St Alphonsus Esopus

Chairman Joseph Sass who announced plans for the event earlier this week said the reservations have reached a number that presages a real representative group for the event which is to be made an annual affair

The retreat given by the Rev James Kearns C.SS.R. professor of philosophy at the Redemptorist seminary is scheduled to start at 8 a m and continue throughout the day, ending with solemn Benediction at 4 p m by the Rt Rev Msgr Martin [illegible] pastor of St Mary's church

Breakfast and luncheon will be served

Cars for the retreat will leave the Knights' home on Broadway at Andrew street Sunday at 7 30 a m

Reservations may be made by phoning 280

Catlett Says . . .

documents and gave the copies to Whittaker Chambers, self-described ex-courier for a Soviet spy ring

The defense called a number of witnesses in an attempt to show that the typewriter was out of Hiss hands long before the government papers were copied

Murphy's voice rose to a shout when he asked Catlett if he had represented himself as an F.B.I. agent when talking with a Mrs Oneida Booth during the search for the typewriter

"No, sir, not at all," the witness shouted back

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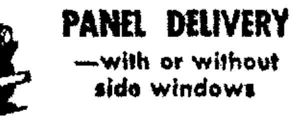

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State Labor Board Has Closed 19,419 Cases Since 1937

Since its establishment July 1, 1937, through November 30, 1949, the New York State Labor Relations Board has closed 19,419 of the 19,783 cases filed with it, according to Keith Lorenz, chairman. Of the closed cases, 11,802 were employe representation petitions, 355 were employer representation petitions and 7,062 dealt with unfair labor charges.

Approximately 87 per cent of the employe petitions and 85 per cent of the employer petitions were concluded without a formal hearing.

In all, the board has conducted 3,937 elections in which 203,128 employes voted between July 1, 1937, and November 30 of this year. Of these, 3,187 were consent elections and 750 were ordered elections.

Among the unfair labor practices charged were refusal to bargain, discrimination, refusal to discuss grievances, discharge or discrimination because of testimony, company union, blacklisting, spying and coercion.

Of the 19,783 cases filed with the board since its inception, 11,508 were A. F. of L. affiliates, 4,834 by C.I.O. affiliates, 1,869 by unaffiliated unions, 1,001 by individual employes and 571 by employers.

Sliced Bacon

Sliced bacon may be stored in a home refrigerator for a week without losing flavor and good eating qualities. Pork sausage links should not be kept for more than three days. This guide to time is based on home refrigerator storage at 36 to 38 degrees Fahrenheit.

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If we run away from HIM,
And plunge into a sorry spin,
We must bear the loss and pain,
To redeem our souls from sin.

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NEW PALTZ

New Paltz, Dec. 15—A conference of the rural school teachers of the second supervisory district was held Monday, Dec. 12. The discussion topic was "The Neglected Child."

A meeting of the finance committee of the Highland Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, was held Friday, Dec. 9, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth DuBois here. The committee comprised Mrs. Theresa Margraf, Mrs. Mabel Pattern, Mrs. Olympia Cottine, Jesse Alexander and Mrs. DuBois.

The printers devils bowling team gave a farewell party at the Left Bank, Wednesday, for Mrs. Frank VanGonsic who with her husband and children are leaving soon for Florida to spend the winter.

Gerard Bruns of Rider College spent the week-end with his mother and brother.

Walter Lucas of the New Paltz-Highland road, an employe at Vassar Hospital, Poughkeepsie, suffered a fractured wrist in a recent fall.

Mrs. Henry DuBois entertained at dinner last Tuesday in honor of her husband's birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Glanz and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wood.

The firemen held their first Christmas party and exchanged gifts after their recent meeting to revise the by-laws.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gerald entertained at dinner Wednesday evening at their home in Clintondale. The dinner celebrated the birthdays of the DuBois twins Harry of Catskill and Henry of New Paltz and their younger sister Mrs. Gerald. Those present were Eli DuBois and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Martin of Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. DuBois and son Harry, Jr., of Catskill and Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. DuBois and children Mary and William of New Paltz.

Mrs. Webb Kniffen spent Monday with her father George M. Van Vliet in Kingston.

At a recent meeting the village board decided to take out $15,000 builders risk insurance on the new fire house and to increase the amount as the building progresses. It also decided to retain property in the rear of firehouse for recreational purposes. This decision was announced after a request was read from the Veterans of Foreign Wars to purchase the parcel to erect a home for its Boy Scout Troop.

January 24 has been chosen as the date for a meeting of New Paltz Teachers College alumni from the Poughkeepsie area. It will be held at Gibson's Colonial Inn.

Robert DuBois student engineer at Wesleyan University, Virginia, has returned to his studies after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon DuBois.

The Methodist Church school program will be held at 7:30 Thursday, Dec. 22. Children will bring games and toys to be sent to the Harrisburg Deaconess Center in Pennsylvania, a project under the care of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Church. Santa Claus will also visit the church school on this evening.

Miss Barbara Llaverla and Miss Joan Lynn represented the Methodist Church College Circle at the New York State Methodist Student Conference at Cornell on December 2 and 4.

Mr. and Mrs. David Corwin and son have moved into their new home on Ridge road.

Plans for a gigantic Christmas movie and party for all the children of New Paltz and the surrounding countryside have been made with the combined cooperation of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and Arthur Roitano, owner of the local theatre. Friday afternoon, December 23 at 3 o'clock the V.F.W. will present a movie and several cartoons at the theatre. Immediately following the movie the Legion will hold a party at its hall for children and adults. Candy and refreshments will be served to the children and games will be played.

A meeting of the League of Women voters was held Wednesday evening, Dec. 14. Mrs. Robert Reid, Jr., started the discussion on "Permanent Personal Registration." Mrs. William Haggerty gave a report of the November 29 institute held here in conjunction with the Newburgh League. Mrs. Frank Slack is publicity chairman of the league.

Will X-Ray 40,000

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—The state will X-ray some 40,000 employes, beginning January 17, as part of its campaign against tuberculosis, Dr. Herman E. Hilleboe, state health commissioner, said today it would be the first mass chest X-ray program for state workers since 1946.

You, Too, Can Do It

Anyone can wrap attractive Christmas gift packages as 19-month-old Janis Mars proves with some of the gay patterns of paper being offered by Firestone dealers and stores. More than 100 sheets of colorful gift wrapping paper, cards and stickers are contained in each gift-wrap package.

Letters to the Editor

Letters to The Editor must bear the name of the writer. Communications must be free of libel and personal attacks upon individuals as such. Only original communications addressed to The Freeman will be printed.

Shameful Performance

74 Emerick Street
Kingston, N. Y.
Dec. 13, 1949

Editor, The Freeman:

I would appreciate it very much if this letter would be published.

"Since when has it been so that children can't ride the public buses in peace."

Monday "early evening" our two Negro daughters, 12 and 13 years old, were returning from "Y" meeting with their classmates, all white. While on the belt line bus at Cedar street, when the driver was absent, a person that called himself a man, jumped on them and called them "nigger" and all such names.

Being children they didn't say anything back.

As the bus was full, I wonder if by any chance he realizes that we just fought World War 2 for the Four Freedoms.

Would appreciate any help you can give me on this, so it don't happen again.

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BABSON on BUSINESS

CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

Babson Park, Mass., Dec. 16—I have just returned from a day spent walking the streets of Boston looking for Christmas presents. I suppose that the store decorations and exhibits are worthwhile, but somehow they make me a little sad. Perhaps it is just because I am getting old. Certainly, today's Christmas excitement does not give as much joy to my grandchildren as the much simpler Christmases gave to me when I was a boy. When I talk about Santa Claus to them, they say—"Now, Grandpa, you know that there really isn't any Santa Claus!" Perhaps this feeling indicates a sign of progress; but I wonder.

What Would Jesus Say?

I wish Jesus could have accompanied me on this trip around the big department stores; and this I say in a respectful manner. Of course, I do not know what He would say—whether He would be sad and critical, or whether He would enthuse with the crowd. Probably He would not object to our people having expensive presents if it were not for His children who are starving to death in Europe and Asia. He surely would be thinking of them and wishing that money being spent here for so many useless gifts could be spent on food and clothing for His children abroad.

I would also like to hear Jesus' comment on the new trend of window dressings. When I was a boy, the leading store window would have a manger with a representation of little Jesus with His mother, Mary, leaning over Him. The department stores especially made an effort to connect up Jesus' birth with the Christmas Holidays. As I became older, there was less about Jesus' humble birth; Santa Claus was featured in place of Jesus, His mother and the three wise men. But this year some large department stores are forgetting both Jesus and Santa Claus. They have in their windows wild animals which wag their heads, shake their paws and talk—animals which have been featured in the comic strips. I wonder what this trend will lead to!

Danger of Expensive Toys

Illustrating the inflation that is creeping over the nation, are the toys being exhibited in the store windows. It was not many years ago when five dollars would be the maximum which one would pay for a child's toy. The average toy or game would sell under one dollar. To my great surprise I find today many toys being sold for twenty dollars. The parents moreover are spending for gifts for their adult friends proportionately high figures. In fact, I fear that the main difference between a man and a boy is the amount which he pays for his toys!

We should not forget, however, that "as the twig is bent, so the tree grows." This means that when the child is started with such expensive toys he will later demand proportionately expensive things in clothes, motor cars, college education, etc., as he grows up. This means that the father must have more income; this encourages the labor union movement and all the industrial troubles that go therewith.

Some Hopeful Signs

A vicious inflationary circle which could get beyond control may be started by these expensive Christmas toys which we now give our children. When a boy, I was perfectly satisfied with an orange in the toe of my Christmas stocking, with a few fifty cent toys and a bag of hard candy. Furthermore, these simple gifts may have meant as much sacrifice to my parents as the expensive gifts of today mean to modern parents. Yet, I do feel that these shop windows may be igniting a social prairie fire which could develop into a great inflationary conflagration.

It was not many years ago when, the week before Christmas, many poor underfed children, raggedly dressed, could be seen peering into these store windows with envious eyes. Today I see no such children. This is a hopeful sign. Not only are there very few poor in this country today, but the nation's health has greatly improved. We have bumper crops, and almost full employment. When I think of the wonderful research work now being freely done throughout the nation, I feel that we all should have a merry, merry Christmas. Let us show our gratitude by giving a big Christmas present to our charities and to our Church.

Chrysler to Introduce Four Lines for 1950

Detroit, Dec. 16 (AP)—Four lines of completely redesigned 1950 model automobiles will be introduced by Chrysler Corp. early next month.

This was disclosed at a press preview of new Chrysler, De Soto, Dodge and Plymouth models yesterday. They represent a Chrysler Corp. investment of $23,000,000 in retooling and other production costs.

K. T. Keller, Chrysler president, told newsmen that 50,000 of the new model cars will be completed before the year end. "Chrysler dealers throughout the country will have cars waiting for them," he said.

Of the various new models, Keller said all were new "from bumper to bumper". New grills, new front fender mountings, longer rear fenders and a new grouping of tail lights and stop lights are among new styling features.

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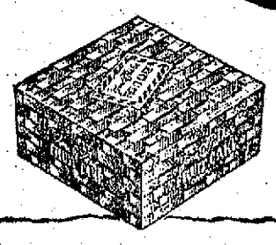

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Mrs. Gillen Elected President of A.O.H.

A.O.H. Division 4 elected officers at the regular meeting Tuesday night. They are Mrs. Nellie Gillen, president; Miss Margaret Reilly, vice president; Mrs. Katherine Hogan, recording secretary; Mrs. Mary Brady, financial secretary; Mrs. Nora Arnold, treasurer.

Mrs. Marie Gilpatrie was chosen chairman of Irish history; Mrs. Nellie Divine, mistress at arms; Mrs. Kathryn Sullivan, sentinel; and Mrs. Betty Coughlin, chairman of standing committee.

Following the installation by Mrs. Kathryn Sullivan, acting county president, Christmas gifts were exchanged and refreshments served. Mrs. Lillian Mitchell was hostess for the evening.

Center Saves Lives

Denver, (AP)—"My wife is running a fever and I want a doctor. Can you help me?" The caller was a man from Texas. Mrs. Lorene Davoren thumbled through the files at the Denver Medical Society's referral center and gave him the name of a doctor. The doctor went to the house and found the woman had polio. She was rushed to a hospital. Another day or two and she might have died. The incident is typical of the 40 calls the center averages each day. Set up by the doctors a year ago, the center received 300 calls the first month. Now about 1,200 persons call each month.

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Births

The city registrar recently recorded the following births:

Dec. 9—Patricia Ann to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arnst, Hurley.

Dec. 11—Amy Patricia to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Landerway, 16 Ann street, and Sandra Lou to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Felton, Lake Katrine.

Dec. 12—Linda Diane to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brooks, 41 Levan street, and Vincent Paul to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Frederick Ahrens, 43 Ravine street.

Dec. 13—Dennis to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Quilty, 18 Len Court.

Children's Reading Hour

Mrs. Ronald Herrick will continue with The Wizard of Oz at the Children's reading hour Saturday at 10:15 a. m. at the Kingston City Library.

John Ellsworth, Irene Ruth Welch Married Sunday

The marriage of Miss Irene Ruth Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Welch, 12 Pine street, to John Ellsworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ellsworth, 492 Wilbur avenue, was performed in a double ring ceremony Sunday at 2 p. m. The Rev. John D. Simmons officiated at St. Joseph's Church.

The bride wore a slate blue satin dress with matching hat and carried an old fashioned bouquet of white pompons.

Her sister, Miss Joan Welch, as maid of honor wore an old rose taffeta dress with matching velvet hat and carried pink pompons.

Frederick Ellsworth was best man for his brother.

A reception for the immediate families was held at Amell's Restaurant. Afterward the couple left for a wedding trip to New York. They will live at 10 Pine street.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth attended Kingston High School. She is employed at New York Telephone Company. He is a veteran of service in both the Army Air Forces and Merchant Marine, and is employed by Cargo Carriers, Albany.

Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sweeney, 90 Pine street, are spending the Christmas holidays with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sweeney in Houston, Tex. Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney left Wednesday and expect to return early next month.

Robert C. Kolts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kolts, 315 Hasbrouck avenue, has been named to the dean's list at Clarkson College. He is a senior majoring in electrical engineering.

Hi-Y Plans Third Annual Christmas Dance For Holiday Week at M.J.M. School Hall

Plans for the third annual Hi-Y Christmas semi-formal dance are being made by the young people under the general chairmanship of William Whitney. The dance will be held at the Myron J. Michael School Gymnasium, Thursday night, December 29. Ole Christensen and his orchestra will play.

Tickets may be obtained at the high school from Paul Butler, ticket chairman.

Other chairmen include Fred Ferraro, decorations; Edward Bruck, refreshments; John Glennon, publicity; Theodore Hutton, chaperones.

Alfred Bruckert is faculty advisor for the club and Clarence Corell, Y.M.C.A. advisor.

OLE CHRISTENSEN

St. Mark's Church Announces Recital By E. Buddy Jones

The Board of Trustees of St. Mark's A.M.E. Church, 12 Foxhall avenue, will present E. Buddy Jones, well-known concert singer, in recital Sunday at 3:30 p. m. He will be assisted at the piano by Miss Edna Marable.

Others taking part in the program will be Miss Margie Ann Lowrey, prayer; Mrs. Helen Chambers, reading; Miss Dorothy Marable, solo; Mrs. Margaret Bryant, reading; the Misses Caroline and Frances Kennedy and Margie Ann Lowry, trio; Mrs. Maude Sampson, reading; the Misses Alice Ennis and Beatrice Marable, duet; Miss Sarah Sampson, solo.

The public is invited. Admission is free. A social tea hour will follow the program.

Junior Married Women Enjoy Christmas Party

Junior Married Women's Club of the Y.W.C.A. held a Christmas party meeting Thursday night when members came dressed as little girls to enter into the spirit of a kiddie party. Mrs. William Gaffken won the prize for the best costume dressed for bedtime in full length knitted pajamas including feet. Others wore rompers, little girl style dresses and many bows in their hair.

Mrs. Madeline Wood entertained by singing several songs and afterward the members joined in singing carols. Refreshments were served from a table decorated for the season. Members of the committee included Mrs. Christopher Morris, Mrs. Joseph Scott, Mrs. John Ceccarelli, and Mrs. Lewis Marz. Members exchanged small Christmas gifts.

During the short business meeting conducted prior to the party a report was made of the recent successful food sale. Announcement was made of the Y.W.C.A. activities in which the Junior Marrieds were invited to participate. The hanging of the greens party and out-door carol sing will take place Monday night. The Round-the-World Cafeteria will be held in the latter part of January.

Dog Bites Pupil

Ambrose Boyd, principal of School No. 6, reported to the police at 1 p. m. Thursday that Robert Ashton, 10, of Sunset Park, was bitten by a dog yesterday morning on the right leg and hand and left leg as he entered the school grounds. He was taken to Kingston Hospital.

Youth Groups Unite For Special Speaker

Bookwalter and Alpha Chapters of Hi-Y entertained Tri-Hi and Kiwanis Key Club Wednesday evening at the Y.M.C.A. William Whitney, president of Bookwalter, presided.

The guest speaker was George Mustaparta who gave a talk on safety followed by a film on hunting and fishing. Refreshments were served and an informal social hour followed.

Mrs. John R. Warren, Tri-Hi advisor, Alfred Bruckert, Hi-Y advisor, and Clarence Corell, youth director at the Y supervised the meeting. About 125 young people were present.

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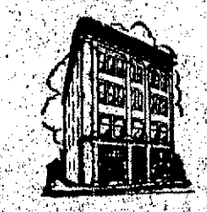

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College Club Hears Talk About England

Frank Nowman of the English Speaking Union, Anglo-American Relations, was the guest speaker at the guest meeting of College Women's Club Tuesday night. He spoke of conditions in England as he had seen them with particular emphasis on the economic life of the country.

As an American he was amazed at the lack of machinery and backward way of manufacturing. He spoke of the great amount of hand work done by English workers which in America would be the simple process of machines. Also he noted the lack of advertising and merchandising such as is used in the United States to sell products. The average work week is 50 hours and the highest paid industry is the automobile assembly plants where approximately $37 weekly is the wage.

Discussing the socialized aspects of the government, Mr. Newman noted that the people were familiar with government control and the socialized control did not so much concern them as it would free Americans. Taxes are extremely high he reported and in closing answered questions put to him by the audience.

Mrs. Vincent Connelly presided at the meeting. Announcement was made of the plans to show a foreign film, The Fledermaus, at Kingston High School Tuesday, February 7, for the scholarship fund.

The next meeting will be January 10 when Bettina Gunczy will speak concerning motion pictures.

Hostesses at the meeting were Mrs. Arthur J. Laidlaw, Miss Dorothy Eastwood, Miss Dorothy Elston, Mrs. Alvan Evans, Mrs. Rose K. Witter, Miss Ruth Fassenden, Mrs. John Finerty, Mrs. Sidney Filsser, Mrs. Charles Forst and Mrs. Boyd Williams.

Termites, when eaten, are said to taste like roasted chestnuts.

Good Taste Today

By Emily Post

(Author of "Etiquette," "Children Are People," etc.)

MATCHMAKING FRIENDS

A reader says: "Can't you write something on behalf of the unmarried women like myself? My friends are almost all married and all just too, too anxious to get me a husband. It must be just as annoying, if not more so, to the men concerned. It is not their responsibility to get me married, and what they can't seem to imagine is that some of us may not be too unhappy about our unwedded bliss."

With this reader I thoroughly agree, but how I can help her I have no idea, since the energies of the would-be matchmakers are seemingly imperishable.

Wedding Invitations to Family

Dear Mrs. Post: Doesn't it seem senseless to send engraved wedding invitations to members of the bridegroom's family who know all about everything; in fact have been in on all the plans and whose presence is a foregone conclusion?

Answer: At least one invitation to a house is sent, because the bridegroom's family are supposed to be interested in every detail of the wedding and some one of them may even like to keep the invitation as a souvenir.

School-Girl Proprieties

Dear Mrs. Post: I'm 16 and live with my mother alone in a large living room, bedroom, kitchen apartment. Mother works. Would it be improper for me to take a boy home sometimes after school to listen to the phonograph or look at television? Few of my friends have television sets and they'd love to be asked in. In fact, they've asked themselves, but I make excuses.

Answer: Inviting a boy alone might be questioned, but you may certainly take a small group of your school friends, boys and girls both, in as often as you like.

Man's Family Makes First Move

Dear Mrs. Post: Should we telephone first, just drop in, or wait to be invited to my son's future in-laws? They have just announced the engagement.

Answer: For practical reasons it may be sensible to make a definite engagement on the telephone first. But you should, of course, make the first advances.

There are different types of wedding invitations and announcements. One type included in Mrs. Post's leaflet, E-10, is the bride-to-be who has no relatives to make the announcement.

To obtain a copy, send 5 cents in coin and a stamped self-addressed envelope to her care of The Kingston Daily Freeman, P.O. Box 99, Station G, New York 19, N. Y. Mrs. Post is sorry she cannot answer personal mail.

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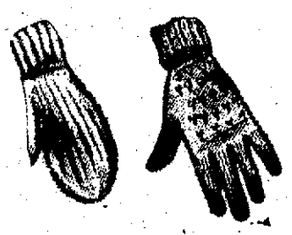

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"The gains against tuberculosis have been accelerated during the postwar years," the statisticians note "and should the recent trend continue, the disease before long will be relegated to a minor position among the causes of illness and death in our country."

At present, only one state (Arizona has a tuberculosis death rate of over 60 per 100,000 population. In 1933, when nationwide figures first became available, 19 states and the District of Columbia had rates of 60 or higher.

Intensified public interest and support, of which the Christmas seal campaign is part, is seen as an outstanding factor in accelerating the decline of the tuberculosis death rate. Since the end of the war case finding has been pushed in an ever widening area, and at present about 10,000,000 persons a year are receiving X-ray examinations. At the same time, efforts have been initated to increase the facilities for the care and treatment of the tuberculosis. Recent research on streptomycin and other new drugs promises that chemotherapy may play a larger role in the future.

Further expansion of the present mass X-ray campaign, especially among older persons and in the rural areas, and the provision of needed facilities for the treatment of patients are set forth as the more important requirements for continued advance in the battle against the disease.

"The great progress being made is no cause for complacency," the statisticians aver. "Only unremitting efforts toward prevention case finding, treatment and rehabilitation will bring the desired result—the virtual eradication from this country of this former health scourge."

Catholic Review Would Boot Santa Off Yule Stage

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP) — Is the jolly old man with the beard and the little round belly stealing the Christmas show from the Babe in the Manger?

The Catholic Review says yes. And the Review—official publication of the Catholic Archdioceses of Washington and Baltimore—thinks it's about time Santa Claus was booted off the stage.

"Our Santa has become a rival of the Holy Child, often enough to the complete exclusion of the latter from any place in the minds of children who learn about the reindeer but have never heard of the ox and the ass," says an editorial published today in the Review's Christmas issue. The editorial was captioned "Unholy Fraud."

It adds that "the whole Santa idea is bad psychology and bad pedagogy," and "even worse theology."

The editorial was written by the Review's editor-in-chief, the Rev. John Sinnott Martin.

It describes Santa as "a foolish fiction." It urges "those who want to keep Christ in Christmas, or at least are willing to give Him back the place He deserves on His birthday" to "leave Santa to those who have nothing better."

"Santa the saint has been lost in Santa the sugar daddy," it adds. "Children are to be good or they won't get paid with presents—a fine specimen of thoroughly un-Christian morality."

The Review sees a danger to respect for parental authority in the time when junior first is told that the man with the bag is only daddy dressed up.

It also has a word for the man inside the Santa suit: "It may be hard on those who play the part of the benevolent old pixie to forego the pleasure of donning whiskers and over-size red flannels. We have often suspected that Santa was a source of more pleasure to the grown-ups than to the children."

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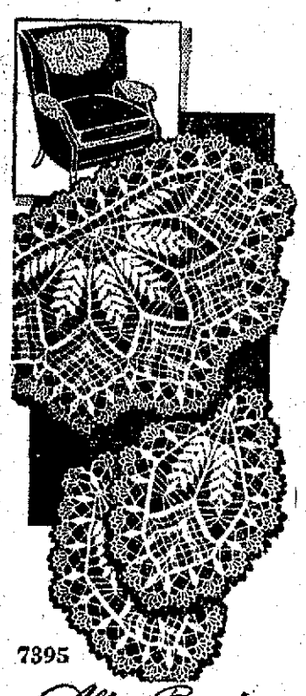

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Ives Endorses Party's Strategy

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Sen. Irving M. Ives (R.-N.Y.) says he endorses the action of the G.O.P. strategy meeting in condemning any form of "me-too" Republican policy.

New York state's senior senator held a news conference yesterday after addressing an "off-the-record" luncheon of the Commerce and Industry Association.

He urged the Republican party to take a definite stand against the Fair Deal program, and said "there is definitely a critical need for a strong opposition in this country at this time or otherwise we are going to have socialism."

The G.O.P. committee, which met Tuesday at Chicago, had defined the "me-too" policy as agreeing in principle with the Democratic party and then adding "we can do it better."

Ives said he favors a bi-partisan foreign policy, but that the administration does not, and has not applied it in some areas such as China.

As to the type of political opposition to come from the G.O.P., he said, "the Republicans themselves are the stumbling blocks because they cannot seem to agree."

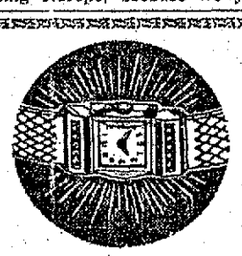
Ives said he hasn't "the remotest idea" whether Gov. Thomas E. Dewey will seek a third term next year.

Concerning his own idea on running for the gubernatorial office, he said "I never desired to be governor, and I mean it."

He repeated his opposition to compulsory health insurance and expressed the hope that recovery aid to Europe will "taper off" in 1952.

"We cannot forever be supporting Europe, because we just don't have the resources or the income," he said.

Ives said he doubts the Republican party will join with southern Democrats in Congress in opposing civil rights measures.



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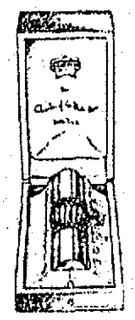

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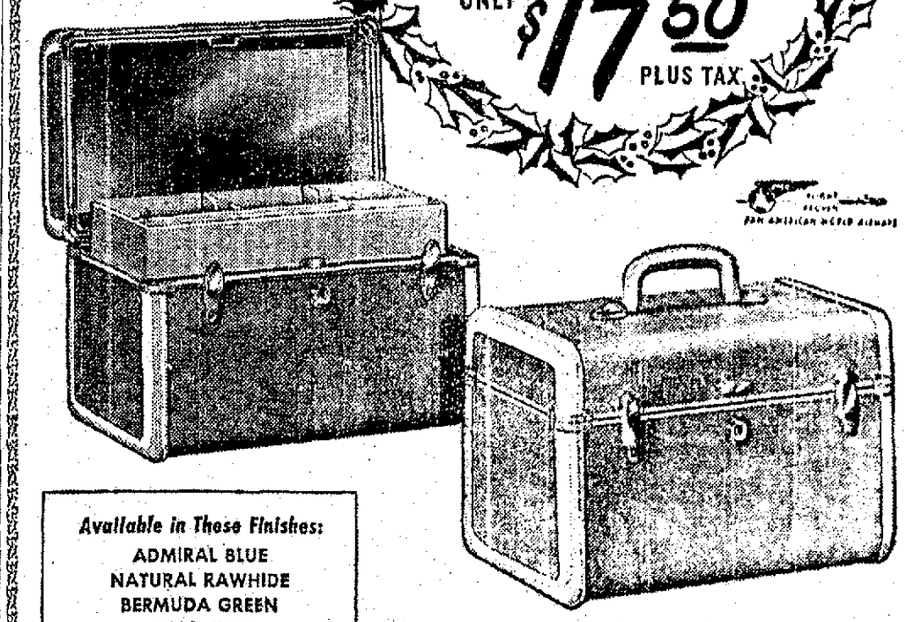

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News of Our Own Service Folks

Enlists in Marines

The U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Office in the Central Post Office Building, Kingston, announced today that Frank L. Arguimbau, son of Mr. Frank S. Arguimbau of Prattsville, had been enlisted in the U. S. Marines on Dec. 13, 1949, for a period of three years. Private Arguimbau graduated from the Gilboa-Conesville Central Rural School in June, 1949.

After being given the oath of enlistment Private Arguimbau was transferred to the Marine Corps Recruit Depot at Parris Island, S. C., where he will receive 10-weeks of basic training. Upon completion of this basic training period he will receive a 10-day leave to visit his home before reporting to a permanent duty station.

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Johnnie Thompson on 'Stairway to Stardom'

Johnnie Thompson, 13, of 141 Main street, this city, will be heard Sunday, Dec. 18, at 2:30 p. m. over WEOK, Poughkeepsie, on the program, "Stairway to Stardom." The program will offer young Johnnie an audition for a later appearance with Arthur Godfrey's Talent Scout show. He previously has won amateur contests in Albany and Catskill.

It is estimated there are 200,000,000 people in North America.

Do You Remember

by SOPHIE MILLER

In case Kingstonians are traveling south, east or north and you want to brag about your city, perhaps you can quote from Mayor Edgar Dempsey's welcome speech given at the Hotel Stuyvesant, after the laying of the Senate House Museum cornerstone, Saturday, Sept. 10, 1927, which was honored by the presence of the famous Governor Al Smith. Mayor Dempsey said in part: "It affords me great pleasure to welcome you to this ancient city in which the first Constitution of the state was adopted, the first governor of the state under the Constitution was inaugurated, the first session of the Supreme Court under the state's chief justice under the Constitution was organized, and the first grand jury impanelled." Later you can tell them about our Hudson river and the Catskill mountains.

Again reading the long list of historical items put in the heavy copper box in the cornerstone, I wonder if exact copies are ever placed in the building proper so that they can be looked over once in a while. After all, most of these items are of historical importance, and as time goes on, many are lost or destroyed, why not have exact duplicates, or copies in the building itself. Perhaps it's done.

Some of the items in the cornerstone of the Senate House Museum which I don't think I have mentioned before are: "Correspondence between Mrs. Rose Gouverneur Hoes, the New York Historical Society and Judge Clearwater, relative to the disposition of the collection of portraits, pamphlets, documents and printed matter made by Chaplain Roswell Randell Hoes. A copy of the volume published by the University of the State of New York, entitled "The American Revolution in New York, Its Political, Social and Economic Significance." A copy of the Kingston Daily Freeman of Sept. 9, 1927. Also a copy of the then Kingston Daily Leader of Sept. 10, 1927. A medal struck by Charles Keck to commemorate the Sesquicentennial of the founding of the government of the State of New York at Kingston, July 30, 1777. A copy of the illustrated pamphlet relative to the founding and early development of Kingston, prepared by Capt. Everett Fowler. A copy of the proceedings at the testimonial banquet tendered to the Honorable Philip Elting, at the Stuyvesant Hotel on Feb. 26, 1927, with Mr. Elting's portrait, he having been largely instrumental in securing the passage of the bill appropriating $90,000 for the construction of the Senate House Museum. A legislative manual for the year 1927, presented by Sen. Arthur H. Wicks. A copy of the menu of the luncheon given to the distinguished guests of the city on Sept. 10, 1927. A copy of the Charter of the City of Kingston, with amendments, special acts and local laws. Mayor Dempsey's message to the Common Council, Jan. 1, 1927, and the Sesquicentennial Proclamation, and an autographed portrait of Mayor Dempsey. Judge Clearwater's book on "Ulster County" from which I quote often, and many more interesting items.

Leftover Rice

Add leftover cooked rice to slightly beaten egg, season with salt and pepper, and drop by spoonfuls on a hot, well-greased griddle. Serve these rice griddle cakes with crisp bacon and currant jelly, and a green salad, for luncheon.

London News Proposes 'Buckets for Brooklyn'

London, Dec. 15 (AP)—The London Evening News proposed a "Buckets for Brooklyn" scheme today to keep New Yorkers from dying of thirst.

"They could be flown across the Atlantic in a constant ferry service," the conservative News suggested in a tongue-in-cheek editorial titled "Out the Buckets."

The editorial was commenting on the plan of water-short New York to give up bathing and shaving tomorrow in an attempt to keep its reservoirs from running dry.

"We offer the suggestion for two reasons," the News said.

"First, because it is a widely-spread belief in the British Isles that all Americans die of thirst if they are not perpetually supplied with glasses of iced water.

"And second, because the very idea of all those scrubby masculine chins gives us the shudders when we think of our bountiful water supply."

The news then ground an edge on its political axe with these further observations:

"The civic authorities there have made plans for a 'water holiday' tomorrow. The suggestions for this 'water holiday' are ingenious.

"Some of them, to British eyes, look exquisitely like those coy and winning little hints put out by the Ministry of Food for eggless, meatless and fatless dishes which are yet bang-full of calories.

"New Yorkers are urged not to bathe or shave on Friday, to collect the day's dishes for a single monster washup in the evening; not to wash their faces and hands under running taps, and drink one glass of water less each during the day.

"The civic authorities conclude that, thus 500,000 gallons can be saved in a day.

"That conclusion, too, has a gloriously familiar ring. New York is obviously not above taking a tip from Sir Stafford, Mr. Gaitskell and others."

Sir Stafford Cripps is chancellor of the Exchequer, the British equivalent of the U. S. Secretary of the Treasury.

The bellwether of the British austerity campaign, he has called upon both business and labor to produce more while holding the line on profits and wages.

Hugh Gaitskell is minister of fuel. He urges the miners to produce more coal and the country to use less so that more can be exported.

SHOKAN NEWS

Shokan, Dec. 15—John Adels, Ashokan awnings manufacturer and veteran fox hunter, recently bagged a 200-lb. black bear while hunting in the Atwood sector of the town of Marbletown. The bear continued coming at John after being shot but soon dropped dead in his tracks. The local nimrod, who had not expected to meet up with that kind of game, wisely concludes from this experience that "when you go hunting, you can expect anything."

People from far and near came to the M. E. Church Friday evening to enjoy the concert put on by the Catskill Glee Club under sponsorship of Olive Post, 1627, American Legion. Both main auditorium and Sunday school room were filled with song lovers, and the scene was reminiscent of the old days when "singing school night" was a gala wintertime event in Olive and adjacent townships. The large group of singers and the piano accompanist, Ruth N. Coons, pleased everyone with their musical performance and it is hoped they will again come to the reservoir country in the not too distant future. The local veterans' post also is to be congratulated upon the successful fruition of their efforts in this case, to perpetuate the Legion's traditional policy of promoting the public weal throughout the nation which they helped to protect.

Allen Terwilliger, an old timer in these parts who has been shoveling snow from walks and drives for his neighbors since he was a young man in the old village of Shokan, has kept in his pocket notebook a record of snowfall here over a period of many years. Allen's entries reveal a precipitation of 12 inches up to the middle of last week as against last year's showing of only one inch to December 15, and three inches to December 5, in '47, while the total fall for 1948 and 1947 respectively was 52 and 80 inches. This comparative trend would seem to support the prognostications of the Old Farmer's Almanac which in its current and 185th issue says: "December will be bitter cold and contain more storms of rain and snow than usual." Furthermore, the O.F.A. says, the groundhog will not see his shadow by daylight February 2 (though he will by full moon that night), and spring will be cold and late. (What! no hot, dry weather in March, like we had the past three years?).

Tax Collector Lemuel DuBois will sit at Winchell's Store, January 20, for the convenience of taxpayers of the First Olive election district. "Lem" will be assisted in his collections this winter by Claude Bell and Helen Marshall.

The Queen Esthers of the Glenford M. E. Church are scheduled to meet Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Arthur Gray.

The flowline of the Ashokan Reservoir went up about four inches following Monday's thaw and rain, according to unofficial report. Whether the small increases in water storage was due to added intake or the voluntary savings down in the city, deponent saith not. Certainly, a gentle rain and slowly melting snow doesn't make for a big runoff, especially after a drouth like last summer's.

Teddy Lukacs, formerly a pupil of the Brown Station school, now goes to and from school in Kingston by bus.

Gould Personeus, one of our old timers, is having a birthday this Saturday. Gould was born in West Shokan, one of six children of Clarke and Catherine Personeus, and moved to this side of the creek in waterworks years. He is married to the former Carrie Peck Shultis and they have three children, Charles, Velma and Harry.

Robert Otis, one of Kingston's hustling young businessmen, was a caller in the hub of the reservoir country Tuesday.

"Farm sold for $9,000 in Butternuts," runs the headline to a realty item in the Oneonta Star. Well, well; down here everyone thought the butternut (oilnut or olymute in Indian parlance) trees had about all died off in recent years. But wait, it says here: "has sold . . . a farm comprising about 250 acres in the Town of Butternuts for approximately $9,000." (What looked like an awful lot of nuts is only a town in Otsego county).

Summer people here for the week-end included Mrs. Theodore Carlson, Union City, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ruckert of Flushing.

Doctor Rotkov, Olive's new resident physician, and wife are now settled in their home at Ashokan. Their telephone number is Shokan 2383. The doctor during the late war was a Medical Corps captain with the 30th Field Artillery. He served 27 months in four European countries.

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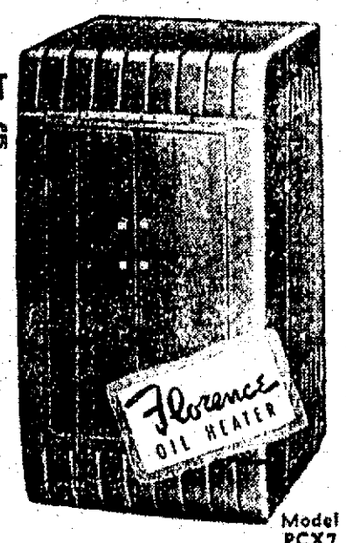

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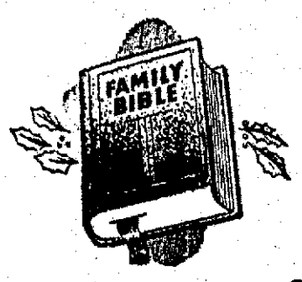

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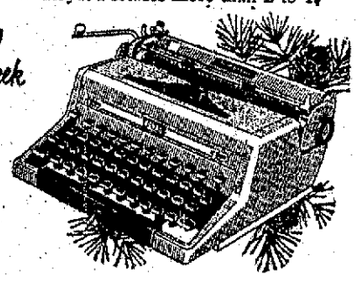

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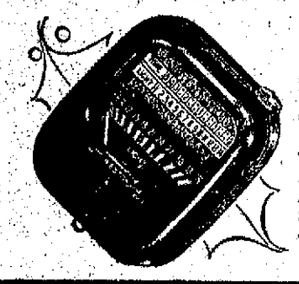

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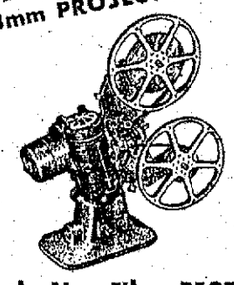

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KAA Dinner Honors KHS Gridders; DUSO Champs Get Rutgers Trophy

Army's undefeated 1949 football team might have risen to its physical and mental peak to beat Notre Dame's national champions had they clashed this season, but, year after year, Michigan is the only team in the country that can match the Fighting Irish in physical resources, Lt. Doug Kenna, Army backfield coach, told 175 persons at the Kingston Athletic Association's testimonial dinner to the Kingston High School gridders last night at the Stuyvesant Hotel.

Lt. Kenna, an all-time Army backfield great and quarterback on the famous 1944 powerhouse with Blanchard and Davis, was the principal speaker at one of the finest functions ever staged by the K.A.A.

Get Rutgers Trophy

Members of the K.H.S. football squad, DUSO co-champions with Newburgh Free Academy, received gold football statuettes and Coaches Bill Burke and Russ Cunningham were presented with belts and gold buckles.

Kingston High was awarded the Rutgers Club trophy, emblematic of DUSO League supremacy by James F. Sheddon, of Newburgh, president of the Rutgers Club of the Hudson valley. David Kopans, another member of the club, accompanied Shedden to Kingston.

president, serving as toastmaster, the program moved briskly and speeches were short. Mayor Oscar Newkirk and Sheddon had warm compliments for the K.H.S. football team and the Kingston Athletic Association for its work in the promotion of sports in the city.

Harvey Keyes and Bud Scheffel, who were elected co-captains of the 1949 football squad at the end of the season, accepted the Rutgers Club award, a magnificent trophy.

Burke Praises Team

Coach Bill Burke, in accepting the K.A.A. award, described the 1949 team as "a good one . . . a team in which every man was putting out all the time." "There was never any doubt in any of our minds that we could beat Newburgh on Thanksgiving Day," he told the group, "and after the first two minutes of play we were convinced we would win. . . ."

Introduced by Clarence S. Rowland, whom Toastmaster McCarthy described as an "avid, ardent Army rooter," Lt. Kenna regaled the audience with humorous anecdotes about West Point football stars, bits of philosophy, poetry and good solid talk about college football in general.

The 1949 Army team, he said, was better organized and drilled than any of the wartime powerhouse that featured Davis, Blanchard, Arnold Tucker, Barney Poole, and others but lacked the manpower of those stalwarts.

A Boost for Weaver

Lt. Kenna praised Big Ed Weaver warmly and predicted the former all-time K.H.S. basketball great would attain stardom at the Point. He said Big Ed was having some difficulty "with one course" but was making a fine comeback.

"We're proud to have young men like your Ed Weaver at West Point," Lt. Kenna explained, "and we hope you can send us more like him."

Lt. Kenna's personal observations furnished many interesting sidelights for the dinner in a question and answer period.

Kenna Kwips: Army will lose 26 out of 44 varsity squad members in June, but the 1950 team should be just as rugged as this years Army's performance against Michigan was "far beyond our expectations."...Glenn Davis was the greatest backfield man in Army history and, in my book, the greatest backfield man of all time...Army gears its schedule for seven major games and two minor attractions...Army gridders are subjected to more pressure than any group of athletes in the country because of the rigid routine at the Academy... They have only 1 hour, 20 minutes of practice daily compared to three hours at other schools... The two platoon systems is here to stay, especially at the Army where it is a godsend because of time limitation for practice... There should be All-America squads for offensive and defensive players...Regarding recently revived Army-Notre Dame rumors, I can say that "there is something in the air but both schools are booked solid through the 1952 season..." No, we are not scouting Notre Dame these days... Pennsylvania is always at its best against Army and this game is fast becoming a traditional battle for the Quakers.

During the program, Toastmaster McCarthy introduced four past presidents of the K.A.A., Dr. Francis O'Connor, Thomas M. Davitt, District Attorney Louis G. Bruhn and Charles J. Tiano. Seated at the speaker's table were James F. Sheddon and David Copans of Newburgh; Coaches Russ Cunningham and Williard Burke of K.H.S.; Dick McCarthy, Lt. Kenna, Clarence S. Rowland, Dick Ruth, K.A.A. secretary; Robert Umpleby, vice president and Walter Hubbard, treasurer.

Entertainment was furnished by young Johnny Thompson, boy soprano and Joey Vigna, accordionist.

New Ring Face

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Tuzo Portuguez, another foreign importation hoping to hit the big money here, gets his test tonight in Madison Square Garden against Beau Jack, the former lightweight king.

Although he didn't impress in his first showing here a month ago, the bookmakers have made the awkward, wild-swinging Costa Rican a 5 to 7½ choice to beat the fading Beau in the ten-rounder.

Football Crowds Still On Upgrade

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Despite a marked decline in the attendance figures of other major sports, college football crowds showed a surprising 1.3 per cent increase this year over the bumper turnouts of 1948.

An Associated Press survey of 88 major schools disclosed that only in the east and far west did college football follow the downtrend of other sports. The east fell 2.5 and the far west 2.2 per cent from the figures of 1948. But 1948 was a good year, showing an increase of 4.3 per cent over 1947.

All other sections of the country were up, paced by the south's 5.7 per cent climb. The midwest, with Michigan in the van, upped its crowds 4.9 per cent. The southwest, with Southern Methodist's weekly jam sessions lending a big hand, rose 2.1 per cent.

The 88 institutions this year played 444 games, drawing a total of 12,398,157 customers. Last year, the same schools, in 443 home games, attracted 12,005,625 fans.

The average per game for 1949 was 27,924. For 1948 it was 27,162.

Eastern and far western athletic leaders are pointing their fingers at television for the losses in their sections of the country. Both sections expect to take action against TV at the NCAA convention here in January.

The eastern college athletic conference already has taken measures on its own. It has recommended that none of its members sign video contracts for the 1950-51 season.

Pennsylvania, Columbia and Yale, three Ivy League schools in the heart of the most dense television area, suffered the most. But Columbia and Yale had poor teams and Penn's performance was not up to its par.

Harbert Regains Old Golf Form

Havana, Cuba, Dec. 16 (AP)—Chick Harbert, one of the longest hitters in golf, is in the groove again.

The solidly-built pro from Detroit fired a seven-under-par 65, a competitive course record, to take the lead yesterday in the annual $10,000 Havana Pro-Amateur Invitational at the Havana Country Club.

He teamed with Pedro Menocal, a Havana player, to rack up a best ball 58 over the par 36-36—72 course.

Harbert was out in 32 and back in 33 for his record-matching round.

"I haven't played much since the Ryder Cup matches," Harbert said. "But now I guess I'm hitting the ball again."

Cary Middlecoff, the U. S. Open champion from Memphis who now registers out of Ormond Beach, Fla., had the second best medal score, a 66. But he got little help from his partner and had a best-ball of 64.

Vic Ghezzi form P.G.A. champion from Deal, N. J., and Mario Menocal were third in the team standings with 61.

K.H.S. Co-Captains Accept Rutgers Trophy

Harvey Keyes, backfield great, and Bud Scheffel, All-DUSO end are the center of attraction at the Stuyvesant Hotel as James F. Shedden, of Newburgh, third from right, presents them with the Rutgers Club Trophy, emblematic of DUSO League football supremacy. N.F.A., co-champions, were similarly honored last week. The happy group includes, in usual order, Dick McCarthy, K.A.A. president; Russ Cunningham, K.H.S. line coach; Bud Scheffel, Harvey Keyes, Shedden, David Copans, of Newburgh, and Coach Bill Burke. *(Freeman Photo)*

Giants Take Chance On Tex Hughson

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—The New York Giants are gambling on a pitching comeback by big Tex Hughson.

Manager Leo Durocher bought the big Texan yesterday from the Boston Red Sox, paying more than the $10,000 waiver price.

Tex, troubled with an arm ailment the last three years, was a mainstay with the Red Sox from 1942 through 1946. He won 22 games and lost 6 in 1942 and registered 20 victories in 1946.

Last year, however, he appeared in only 29 games, mainly in relief roles, and won four while losing two.

Sports of the Day

(IN BRIEF)
(By The Associated Press)

Baseball

Boston—The Boston Red Sox announced the sale of Tex Hughson, right-handed pitcher, to the New York Giants for an undisclosed sum.

New York—Phil Rizzuto, shortstop for the World Champion New York Yankees, was named "Player of the Year" for 1949 by the New York Chapter of the Baseball Writers' Association.

Football

Fayetteville, Ark.—John Barnhill stepped out as head coach at the University of Arkansas but will continue as athletic director.

Pro Basketball
(By The Associated Press)
Last Night's Results
National Association
Anderson 100, Syracuse 88.
Baltimore 87, Minneapolis 68.
Boston 83, St. Louis 81 (overtime).
Fort Wayne 69, Rochester 66.
Sheboygan 80, Tri-City 74.
American League
Scranton 89, Trenton 73.
Hartford 85, Wilkes-Barre 69.

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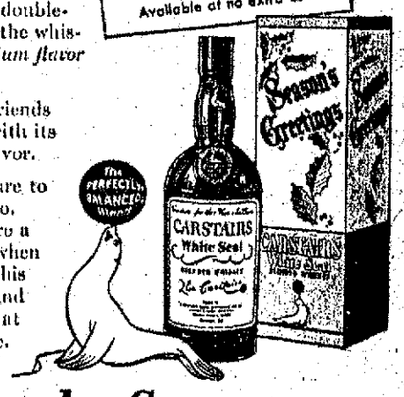

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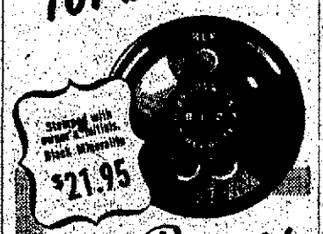

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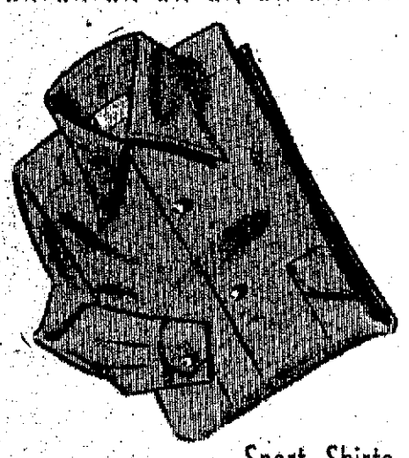

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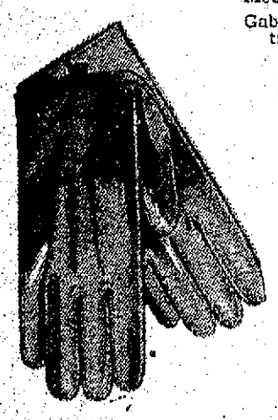

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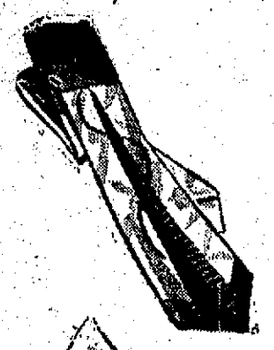

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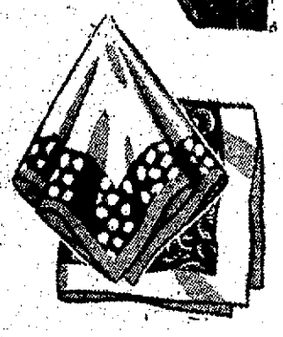

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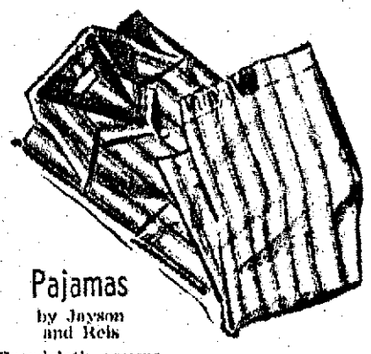

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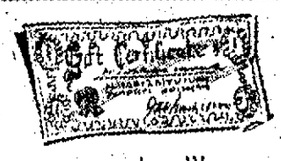

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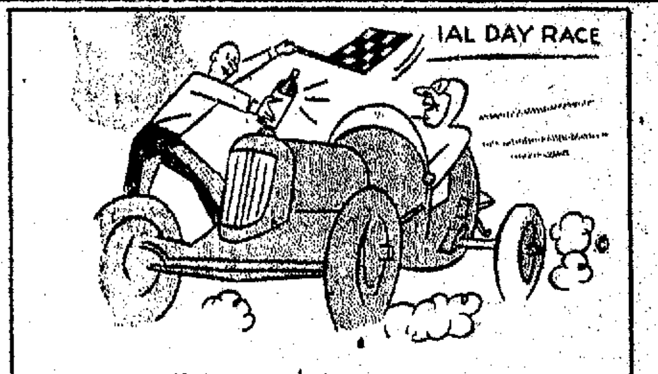

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Tuesday, Dec. 13 Results

	W	Pts.
Haber's Grill	9	258
Pheasant Inn	1	145
Jake's Grill	8	248
Jimmie's Inn	2	130
Jim's Lincoln Park Inn	8	241
Cookie's Inn	2	182
The Homestead	8	240
The Gables	2	158
Teddy's Bar & Grill	7	236
Olive Bridge Grill	3	101
Sparky's Tavern	6	
Reid's Hotel	4	

Individual High Scorers

J. Amato 23-16, C. Nicholas 22, P. Closi 22, W. Fitzpatrick 21, E. Quick 21, R. Morris 21, C. Lyons 21, H. J. Leininger 20, J. Carpenter 20, D. Struble 18-18, F. Ohliger 19, E. Keane 18, E. Oakley 18, W. Oehler 18, N. Quick 18, C. Colvin 18, H. Pratt 17, R. Hart 17, H. Horton 17, L. Weishaupt 17, D. Gaddis 17, E. Kelder 17, J. Davis 17, C. Schuster 17, S. Modica 17, M. Provenzano 17, H. S. Leininger 17, F. Nagele 17.

The Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.	Pts.
Habers Grill	61	29	.678	2080
The Homestead	60	30	.667	2054
Sparky's Tavern	59	31	.656	1816
Teddy's Bar Grill	57	32	.640	1983
Jake's Grill	49	51	.544	1987
Reid's Hotel	46	44	.511	1830
Lincoln Park Inn	41	49	.456	1940
Cookie's Inn	38	52	.422	1845
Jimmie's Inn	37	53	.416	1735
Pheasant Inn	36	54	.400	1786
Olive Bridge Grill	31	59	.344	1660
The Gables	24	66	.267	1583

League Records

Most games won in match—Sparky's Tavern 10.

Most games won in row—Sparky's Tavern, 25.

Most points scored in match—Haber's Grill 258, new record.

Individual league high scorer—A. Featherson 26, H. S. Leininger 20.

Individual league high inning scorer—A. Avery 10.

Most points per single game—A. Avery 21, J. Ferguson 10, Olive Bridge Grill, 31; R. DuBois 10, R. Morris 21, Teddy's Bar & Grill, 31.

Tuesday, Dec. 20, 7:30 p. m.

Jimmie's Inn at Reid's Hotel; Haber's Grill at Cookie's Inn; Jake's Grill at The Gables; The Homestead at Teddy's Bar and Grill; Sparky's Tavern at Jim's Lincoln Park Inn; Olive Bridge Grill at Pheasant Inn.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

New York (Sunnyside Garden)—Alfredo Prada 135, Argentina, and George Dunn, 133, Hartford, Conn. drew, 10.

Philadelphia — George "Sugar" Costner, 147½, Camden, N. J., knocked out Doug Ratford, 140, New York, 1.

Fall River, Mass.—Larry Villeneuve, 157, Providence, outpointed Tommy Bell, 152½, Youngstown, 10.

Brooklyn (Broadway Arena)—Charlie Titone, 125¾, New York, outpointed Gaetamo Annaloro, 120¼, North Africa, 8.

SPORTS

Bowling

Major League keglers fashioned a trio of 600 triples and Fred Rice missed another by a single pin in Ferraro's Major last night.

Bill Kuehn hammered a 643 with a big 257 solo and 214 after a 172 opener. Runnerup was Johnny Ferraro who hit consistently for 215-210-204-629. Clifton Quick had 600 on the nose with 210-235-155. Rice posted high solos of 219 and 202 for his 599.

Other top scores were "Tarz" Spada's 583; Johnny Schatzel 214-577; Larry Petersen 211-210-576; Floyd Barnum 245-571 and Fred Ferraro 224-570. Tommy Amato made the rare 8-10 split conversion. Vogel Dairy's 2825 was the best team triple. They also rolled 1005 for best team game.

Bob Gorsline knocked off high triple of 539 in the Jacobson Mixed League with 176-175-188. Len Freer fireballed 514 for runnerup honors, while Leo Bechtold shot 500 flat. Jake "Scribe" Chichelsky posted 486; Frank Perry 485 and Lou Navara 482. Jaysons still lead this well balanced circuit by a three-game margin over the Carpenters. The sixth place squad is only seven games off the pace.

A high powered 591 by Jim Noble dominated pinfall in the Freeman League last night, as he found the pocket steadily for 198-184-209. Nick Huber was runnerup with 527, Roland Post 525 and Art Shelightner threw his "green hornet" ball effectively for 203-516. Also in the top bracket were Jack Hartman with 218-506; Bob Steeger 500; John Dittus 201-490; Charlie Diers 487; L. Brooks 483 and Joe Carro 480.

Herbie Sleight's 573 was the best of five "500" triples in the Y.M.C.A. National circuit, the Y star knocking off scores of 211, 172 and 190. Ed Schussler was runnerup with 558, F. Sarbacher posted 543, R. Cutler 525, and W. Hornbeck 503. Also top bracket were C. Robinson 486, Tom Sickler 486, C. Hyde 485.

Bruce Davis' 561 with 170-191-200 led the American Legion kegling at the Bowlatorium. Joe Maurer rolled 202-501; N. Scherer 486 and N. North 468.

Two neat games in the 180 bracket followed by a 168 finale brought Frank Roe in as the leader of the Y.M.C.A. Federation League with his 539 series. His other counts were 185 and 186.

Also in the 500 circle were Austin Hitchcock who fired 194-525; Ferd Short 193-522; Don Weeks 520; Doug Kennedy 191-518; Herb Sleight 517; and Harold Baltz 502.

Junior Major

Strand Lunch	871	795	781	2447
Scholl's Mkt.	777	753	700	2200
Kukum Tavern	812	772	747	2331
Homestead	760	636	703	2300
Haber's Grill	789	817	876	2482
Terry Brick	783	896	817	2496
Ballantine	854	835	800	2489
Embassy Five	698	804	765	2267
Boice Groc.	826	848	900	2571
Kaplan Furn.	863	781	800	2444
Sunnyside Grill	818	854	698	2370
B'Way Flower	891	764	826	2480

Individual Scores

H. Grube	212	170	215	597
J. McGrano	223	169	203	595
J. Hastings	190	211	182	583
M. Cole Sr.	164	193	202	559
G. Hanna	205	150	185	540
E. Cunningham	201	183	157	541
T. Yonta	161	100	215	536
J. Daniels	181	190	168	537
C. J. Costello	177	200	148	534
F. Marks	190	163	170	523
T. Olle Sr.	174	152	196	523
J. Cave	165	183	166	514
B. Allen	171	172	166	509
J. Parslow	178	173	155	506
F. Steuble	207	120	167	503
M. Carpino	186	165	150	502
J. Rich	174	189	138	501
L. Ward	202	140	158	500

Catholic A.A.

St. Peter's No. 2	876	906	793	2575
St. Mary's No. 2	823	736	805	2364
St. Colman's No. 2	727	602	719	2190
St. Mary's No. 3	680	684	660	2012
St. Joseph's	807	737	726	2260
St. Colman No. 1	774	757	814	2345
Presentation	829	774	768	2371
St. Mary's No. 1	768	746	736	2240

Individual Scores

Ray Zech	168	220	188	576
F. Ferraro	202	185	176	563
J. Zech	187	191	172	550
V. Burns	191	183	160	534
J. Smith	211	182	121	514
J. Mahar	212	160	138	510
V. Carpino	179	171	159	509
John Watzka	201	133	170	504
M. Berardi	222	123	157	502
N. Bruck	210	151	135	496
J. Raible	132	203	156	493
Joe Watzka	174	169	141	484
Ed Gaynor	150	140	193	483
J. Hartman	163	138	167	468
J. Flore	133	139	190	462
G. Kearney	179	141	140	460

Rookie League

Mehm's Mkt.	888	814	924	2448
Maishaupt Mkt.	699	731	722	2152
Chez Emile	665	665	667	1997
Martin-Moran 1	678	716	724	2118
Martin-Moran 2	766	777	728	2271
Canfield Supply	746	696	807	2249
Adin's Mkt.	654	866	708	2228
LaGuardia Whsle.	742	758	700	2200

O'Reilly—All games forfeited.

H. H. Studebaker	604	631	588	1833

Individual Scores

O. Doyle	150	202	210	565
G. Buddenweber	180	149	207	536
J. Heldcamp	176	209	139	524
F. Mehm Jr.	122	163	220	505
R. Peterson	115	180	193	488
J. Struble	152	140	193	485
J. Carle	104	148	139	481
E. Rowe	128	164	182	474
D. Gaddis	170	170	132	472
E. D. LaGuardia	135	156	182	463
J. Clausi	168	150	134	462
W. Burr	141	136	184	461
D. Riehl	160	150	140	450
Bill Weishaupt	148	132	171	451
A. Schupeltock	120	129	198	447
C. Diffley	186	123	156	443
L. Evory	122	162	158	442
D. Raichle	155	168	114	437
F. Flore	132	141	162	435
B. Barker	131	179	125	435
F. Grimaldi	159	155	120	434
F. Mehm Sr.	123	173	136	432
J. Weishaupt	136	118	166	420
R. Freer	138	149	133	420
J. Rowland	120	143	151	414
F. Stenson	125	168	110	412

Chalet Leaders

Slor's Service	739	764	732	2235
Aqueduct Gifts	630	654	639	1923
Ruska's Rollers	673	791	816	2280
Feinberg's Stars	756	639	683	2078
Cedar Park House	691	626	714	2031
Rosendale Florist	615	698	660	1973
Boyle's Pyrolax	708	830	676	2214
Schryver Lumber	670	745	725	2140
Moylan's	679	762	730	2171
Vaughn Pharmacy	697	676	634	2007
McEvoy Grocery	667	688	677	2032
Duffy Ins.	607	641	660	1908

Individual Scores

Whitaker	187	160	218	565
T. Nikoletich	145	226	182	553
L. Yonnetti	189	157	172	518
B. Lawrence	172	177	167	516
R. Schoonmaker	192	140	148	480
W. Futum	165	172	141	478
V. Kuhn	186	146	166	478
J. Auer	133	171	172	476
V. Freese	146	185	140	471
R. Anderson	166	139	165	470
R. Esposito	109	176	185	470
H. Krom	138	146	180	464
P. Slor	156	167	137	460
H. Houskn	152	148	150	450
R. Dollay	145	147	164	456
H. Rask	144	160	150	454
McCaffrey	159	154	127	440
C. Reilly	127	167	143	437
T. C. Rhode	153	157	125	435
J. Connell	122	150	162	434
L. Dyer	147	136	148	431
F. Tennedini	146	137	140	429
J. McEvoy	145	145	133	423
W. Doolittle	140	119	163	422
F. Sauer	111	162	150	422

Colonial Women's

Gold Division

Pardee's Ins.	687	706	811	2204
Bowl-o-Ettes	706	768	692	2166
Cuneo's	736	804	812	2352
Gardenald Tract.	789	860	852	2511
Elston Sport	775	825	736	2336
Safford-Scudder	753	788	774	2315
Gislano's	753	661	720	2134
Smith Ave. Stor.	834	715	684	2233

Individual Scores

Dot Rawding	161	190	190	541
R. Frederick	143	207	184	534
E. Gruss	167	169	187	523
H. Murphy	171	165	176	512
B. Markle	156	155	200	511
B. Barley	161	161	177	500
M. Martaito	158	166	183	506
J. Smith	176	165	136	476
D. Wolfe	166	160	145	471
P. Gehringer	140	192	138	470
C. Mohr	163	156	141	467
A. Markle	139	190	136	465
R. Schatzel	107	157	151	465
D. Flemings	172	151	137	460
R. LaRocca	156	144	156	456
M. Koenig	140	160	158	455
M. Trowbridge	128	180	147	455
T. Moss	167	152	132	451
H. Trowbridge	132	168	140	438
M. Bruck	125	145	165	435

Silver Division

Hungerford's	646	731	609	1986
Schilling Furn.	571	626	590	1787
Jones Dari-Ettes	622	655	705	1982
Martin-Moran	666	740	676	2082
Joe's Refrig.	633	736	661	2020
Ulster Ldg. Lodge	660	605	608	1918
B'way Flower	661	669	639	1969
Perry's Taxi	717	682	696	2086

Individual Scores

M. Kelekian	136	183	167	486
B. Schaller	126	192	161	481
W. Overfield	133	136	184	453
V. Slover	155	150	141	452
E. Lowe	138	175	125	438
H. Broskie	142	164	130	436
R. Rhymer	158	116	154	428
M. Perry	136	173	118	427
M. O'Donnell	168	116	137	421
E. Hungerford	128	127	161	416
V. Allen	133	158	114	405
E. Kubicek	143	149	111	403
M. Logan	116	126	159	401
D. Murphy	133	124	143	400
O. Auringer	133	169	96	397
M. Sharot	106	151	140	397
D. Manfro	116	154	122	392
M. Bechtold	111	152	128	391
E. Dumenigo	128	132	130	390
A. Manfro	130	144	116	390

Purple Division

M'Avery R'ltors	647	624	641	1912
Canfield Supply	631	707	666	2004
Am. Leg. Aux. 2	613	733	685	1031
Tropical Inn	518	544	541	1603
Sue's Bty. Studio	641	637	640	1918
Am. Leg. Aux. 1	567	567	515	1609
Electrol	553	638	608	1810
Stone Ridge Mfg.	603	637	656	1896

Individual Scores

Helen Mayer	161	155	163	479
M. Broyer	158	153	154	465
A. Mauro	153	141	150	444
D. Bell	114	158	162	434
M. Davis	135	148	148	431
A. Perry	137	165	125	427
H. Jacobs	126	172	118	416
H. McDougall	120	154	140	414
A. Berardi	129	127	144	400
G. Hulsaite	141	114	138	393
R. Toffel	120	133	124	383
M. Burns	130	130	132	382
V. Cave	128	127	125	380
S. Healy	154	101	123	378
G. Strother	135	114	129	378
L. LaMay	116	138	116	370
M. Petruski	115	144	109	368
A. Brocco	117	112	138	367

Women's Booster

Kings. Laundry	487	640	577	1504
Team No. 4	495	548	573	1616
Howard's Refrig.	627	567	585	1779
Barclay Knitwear	592	620	618	1730
Suntag Pharmacy	554	591	649	1794
Kingston Candy	548	560	560	1666
F. Brady	124	120	160	404
E. Scully	125	145	110	380
R. Siamilich	149	81	137	367
D. Jankowski	124	124	111	359
Jean Hogan	134	104	118	356
D. Burns	121	110	123	354
D. Zehentner	134	101	115	350
H. Buchholtz	83	110	155	348
P. Cowdrey	96	113	135	344
L. Jordan	99	102	141	342
M. Short	130	113	98	341
B. Hooker	100	98	140	338
L. Norton	116	93	129	338
I. Janakis	94	92	149	335
A. Hannweber	103	126	100	329

Church Federation

American Division

Clinton Ave. 1	609	575	622	1806
Comforter 1	641	555	581	1777
Trin. Luth. 1	621	636	609	1866
St. James	668	553	600	1821
Redeemer	572	550	694	1816
Comforter 2	562	606	682	1850
Clinton Ave. 2	666	664	685	2015
Fair St. 1	636	628	592	1856

Individual Scores

F. Roe	185	186	168	539
A. Hitchcock	194	185	146	525
F. Short	166	163	193	522
D. Weeks	171	165	184	520
D. Kennedy	191	168	159	518
H. Sleight	153	185	179	517
H. Baltz	140	173	189	502
A. Bruce	173	135	186	494
C. Kelder	169	171	147	487
W. Murray	145	158	182	485

Hockey at a Glance

(By The Associated Press)

Last Night's Results

National League

Montreal 4 Toronto 1.

American League

Indianapolis 9 Cincinnati 1.

Providence 1 New Haven 1 (tie)

College Basketball

(By The Associated Press)

East

St. Johns (Bkn.) 69, Kentucky 58.

Southern California 69, Canisius 55.

Niagara 55, Denver 54.

CCNY 71, Brooklyn College 44.

Providence 59, Rhode Island State 57.

Davis-Elkins 62, Hofstra 55.

Dickinson 66, Allegheny 58.

St. Michaels (Vt.) 54, St. Lawrence 51.

Alfred 68, Clarkson 47.

Westminster (Pa.) 54, Geneva 52.

Oneonta (N.Y.) 99, Delhi (N.Y.) Aggies 49.

Albany Business 60, Clarkson Frosh 57.

South

North Carolina State 62, Los Angeles Loyola 47.

Penn State 52, American Univ. 49.

Duke 66, Davidson 49.

Roanoke 97, Catholic Univ. 57.

Wake Forest 60, Quantico Marines 45.

Miami (Fla.) 57, South Carolina 56.

Midwest

Cincinnati 56, Kansas 54.

Indiana 75, Arkansas 59.

Bradley 85, Texas Christian 49.

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Wichita 58, Phillips Univ. 37.

Southwest

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Far West

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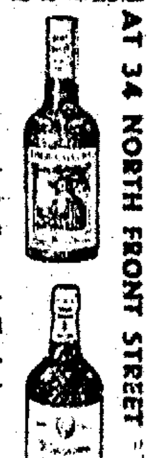

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Maroon Cagers Face Test at Monticello

Kingston High School's new born basketball powerhouse gets its first baptism of fire tonight on the hostile mountain town boards in Monticello.

Never a bargain for the Maroon on their home court, the Monties will throw a veteran unit against the unbeaten Klasmen.

In Norm Culligan, Dick Breen and Lenny Schwartz, Monticello boasts of the best trio in the circuit. These young men accounted for 43 of Monticello's 47 points in the 47-37 conquest of a powerful Fallsburgh quintet.

Culligan, who ranks with Kingston's Ronnie Scheffel as a coming threat, tossed in 22 points; Breen had 11 and Schwartz 10.

Rated off its performances against Middletown and Beacon, the Maroons must be accorded an even chance in tonight's important clash. Granted that neither of Kingston's first two opponents was a powerhouse, the evidence of tremendous Kingston power was still there. Coach Klas' cagers won just about as they pleased.

In other conference clashes tonight, Fallsburgh is at Port Jervis and Newburgh Academy opens its DUSO season against Middletown in the Middle city.

The probable lineups:

Kingston		Monticello
R. Scheffel	f	Culligan
Holstein	f	McCullough
Leonard	c	Breen
B. Scheffel	g	Schwartz
Riehl	g	Gitlin

Hymie Caplin Dies; Noted Ring Figure

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Hymie Caplin, the dapper, voluble fight manager who helped make five world champions before he lost a skirmish with the law, is dead.

The native of New York's lower east side who became a fabulous Broadway character died in a hospital last night at the age of 48.

He had been ill a year during which time he and his friends sought unsuccessfully to have his manager's license restored in New York.

Caplin was able to get his standing back in several states, including Pennsylvania and New Jersey, but he never hit the big-time he enjoyed in the '30s when he handled some of the top fighters of the day.

He handled five world champions—Middleweights Ben Jeby and Solly Krieger, Lightweights Al Singer and Lew Jenkins and Bantamweight Lou Salica. He also managed Sid Terris, Allie Stolz, Abe Feldman and Billy Fox.

The smooth, sharp-witted manager lost his license after he was convicted in the spring of 1941 on a charge of grand larceny and sentenced to five to ten years in Sing Sing.

He was accused of being a leader in a ring of card sharks.

Robinson's .342 Tops National Loop; First in Base Stealing, Sacrifices

Musial Runnerup To Dodger Flash

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Brooklyn's Jackie Robinson was the individual standout in the National League's offensive department during the past season.

Official averages, released today by the senior baseball circuit, show the Dodgers' Negro second baseman first in batting, first in base-stealing and tied for first in sacrifices with St. Louis' Marty Marion.

It was these accomplishments that won him the circuit's coveted most valuable award.

Robinson led the hitting with a mark of .342. He had 37 stolen bases and 17 sacrifices.

The slick Brooklyn infielder shaded the Cardinals' Stan Musial by four percentage points in an individual race almost as close as the team race for the National League championship. Brooklyn beat out the Cards on the last day of the season.

Musial Runnerup

Musial, one of the game's all-time great hitters, had a good year for himself but not comparable with that of 1948 when he almost monopolized honors.

Besides batting .338, Musial led in base hits with 207, total bases with 282, doubles with 41 and he tied with Enos Slaughter, a teammate, in triples with 13.

The Pittsburgh Pirates Ralph Kiner led in home runs with 54 and set a new league mark by hitting more than 50 for the second year in a row. He has led or tied for the league home run crown for four straight years.

Kiner had the most runs batted in with 127. Pee Wee Reese, Brooklyn shortstop, scored the most runs, 132.

Jackie Robinson, Brooklyn, .342.
Stan Musial, St. Louis, .338.
Enos Slaughter, St. Louis, .336.
Carl Furillo, Brooklyn, .324.
Ralph Kiner, Pittsburgh, .310.
Bob Thomson, New York, .309.
Ted Kluszewski, Cincinnati, .309.
Willard Marshall, New York, .307.
Johnny Hopp, Pittsburgh, .306.
Del Ennis, Philadelphia, .302.

JOE DIMAGGIO STANCE—Outfielder Bill Wilson was sold by Sacramento to the Chicago White Sox for $75,000 and four players. Casey Stengel of the Yankees says the most talked about prospect with an independent minor league club has a stance like Joe DiMaggio's, and looks like a hitter.

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Sports Personalities at Football Testimonial

The speakers table at the K.A.A. testimonial dinner to the Kingston High School football squad swarmed with civic and sport personalities last night at the Stuyvesant Hotel. In the upper group are shown: l. to r., Russ Cunningham, K.H.S. line coach; Clarence S. Rowland, of the Board of Education, who introduced the principal speaker, Lt. Doug Kenna, backfield coach at West Point; Lt. Kenna, Dick McCarthy, K.A.A. president and toastmaster and Mayor Oscar V. Newkirk. In the lower group: Head Coach Bill Burke, James F. Shedden, of Newburgh, president of the Rutgers Club of the Hudson Valley; David Copans, Newburgh; the Rev. Father Edward I. Farrelly, Bob Umpleby, vice-president of the K.A.A. and Dick Ruth, K. A. A. secretary. *(Freeman Photo)*

Woodstock News

West Purchases Cannon Property

Woodstock, Dec. 16 — Victor Cannon of Ulster Park has just sold the last portion of Cannon Ranch, his 382-acre Woodstock estate, according to Previews Inc., the National Real Estate Clearing House, marketing agents. This portion, consisting of 11 acres, a stone barn, a red barn and a swimming pool, was purchased by William West, Woodstock trucking contractor.

West plans to remodel the stone barn into a ranch style house which will be his permanent home. Cornelius V. V. Sewell, Woodstock broker, negotiated the sale.

The main residence was purchased through the Sewell office in October by Julius H. Weitzner, owner of the Julius H. Weitzner Art Gallery in New York. In July, Sam Eskine, folk singer, bought four acres and another barn which he planned to convert to a studio.

West, former Indianapolis Speedway driver and one of the founders of the Woodstock Midget Speedway, which operated 10 years ago on the Thoron Lasher farm in Bearsville, is well known throughout the area for his automotive knowledge.

Mr. and Mrs. West and family live on the Rock City road, Woodstock.

Bureau Party Is Attended by 33

Woodstock, Dec. 15—The regular monthly meeting and Christmas party of the Woodstock Home Bureau was held Tuesday afternoon at the American Legion hall with 33 members attending. It was announced that the Federation of Home Bureaus, which had its meeting this fall in Syracuse, gave second prize to the Woodstock Home Bureau for its scrapbook on the bureau's activities for the year. Mrs. Neva Shultis was responsible for the excellent arrangement of the scrapbook.

The mystery package at the party was won by Mrs. Hannah Dock.

Mrs. Joseph Wagner, who with her husband, is custodian of the American Legion hall, was presented with a gift of appreciation of her services in connection with the Home Bureau's use of the room.

One of the group's highly successful activities during the past year was the class in aluminum tray making, conducted by Mrs. Elizabeth Clough and Mrs. Harry A. Kutzschbach. The 20 members of the class which has been producing excellent work, expressed their gratitude for the able guidance given them by Mrs. Clough and Mrs. Kutzschbach by presenting them with gifts.

After the meeting adjourned members enjoyed a festive holiday tea. Christmas carols were sung.

The next meeting of the Home Bureau will be held on January 10 at the American Legion hall with Mrs. Kutzschbach and Mrs. Josephine Neher, hostesses.

Christmas Program Slated on Green

Woodstock, Dec. 15 — Carol singing and a special Christmas Eve service will be held on the Woodstock green, on Saturday, December 24, from 5 to 5:45 p. m. The Rev. Harvey I. Todd will give the opening prayer, followed by a short Christmas story to be told by the Rev. Olney Cook. Father James L. Riordan will give the closing prayer.

Under the leadership of Allen Waterous, carols will be sung and Santa Claus, through arrangements made by the Masonic Square Club, will distribute 100 pounds of candy and oranges, and music will be provided through a P.A. system. To further enhance the service, 150 lighted candles will be passed to the congregation. For those desiring mimeographed copies of the words of the Christmas carols, a supply will be available.

Skiers Plan Future Program at Meeting

Woodstock, Dec. 16—At the preliminary meeting of the Woodstock Ski Club, plans were discussed for future activities of the club. The purpose of the newly formed club is to provide instruction in skiing and the repair and care of skis, to obtain snow reports, to pool transportation and to arrange for movies and shows on the subject.

Miss Ruth Cohn was elected chairman of the group and Dr. Paul Perlman acted in an advisory capacity at the meeting.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, Dec. 28, at 8 p. m. at which time further organization will take place. Anyone interested in becoming a member is invited to attend.

The following attended the first meeting: Danny Perlman, Preston Perlman, Teddy Wright, Lynne Wright, Bruce Reynolds, Peter Cohn, Ruth Cohn, Nancy Braddon, Albert Hoffman, Ronald Mower, Richard Thibaut, Jr., and Dr. Paul Perlman.

Village Notes

Woodstock, Dec. 16 — Mrs. Orestes Cleveland has returned from a visit in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Motzkin, of the Bearsville road, will leave for Miami, Fla., Wednesday, December 21.

Mrs. Nan Pini returned Tuesday night after spending 10 days in New York with Miss Rose Macey and her brother, Robert Sherwin, in Plainfield, N. J. While in New York, Mrs. Pini saw the Van Gogh show at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, which is open until January 25.

Woodstock, Dec. 15—Doris Lee and Arnold Blanche have been at the University of Minnesota and are now on their way to Key West, Fla., and expect to be at their home there for Christmas.

Riding Club Holds Christmas Meeting

Woodstock, Dec. 16—The Woodstock Riding Club held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday at the Dutch Reformed Church recreation hall. Since it was the last meeting of the year, members enjoyed a festive pot-luck supper and received gifts from the club's Santa Claus who was represented by Griffin Herrick.

The next meeting of the club will be January 19.

Slate Cage Game

Woodstock, Dec. 16 — The Woodstock Girls Varsity basketball team will play the High Falls Girls Varsity Saturday, Dec. 17, at 7 p. m., at High Falls. The new red uniforms for the team were received Thursday. Woodstock has formed a Girls Junior Varsity team but the team has no schedule as yet. Their uniforms are blue and white.

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Those Who Waved At Ward Arrested

Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—Consul General Angus Ward and his staff were held under close guard by Chinese Communists at Mukden for more than a year that "passersby were even arrested for waving greetings."

Ward, now on his way to Japan aboard an American vessel, radioed the State Department yesterday that for months the Communists denied him and his staff medical services and kept them under threat of firearms.

For 30 hours after the consulate was entered Nov. 20, 1948, he related, 22 persons were cooped up in his office, with just one bucket of water and without even kerosene lights.

"An aged German casual visitor to the United States Information Service Library was confined with Americans for more than one year without reply to his appeals for release or access to food, clothing and funds from his residence," Ward said.

Ward once again denied the Communist charge that he had beaten a consulate employe in a dispute over back pay. After being jailed for a month, he was tried on that charge and sentenced to "deportation." He had been attempting for months to leave.

For the entire period of his enforced stay in the Manchurian city, Ward summed up, conditions were "atrocious."

Moose Christmas Party for Little Folks Set Sunday

Merriment will reign at the hall of Kingston Lodge, 970, Loyal Order of Moose, Sunday, when the annual Christmas party is held at 3 p. m. for children. Santa will be there to talk with the little guests and distribute gifts. Refreshments will be served.

In a letter to members of the lodge, Harold J. Kuschner, chairman of the party, said, "As a member of the Loyal Order of Moose, it is your privilege to bring as many children as you wish. They need not be your own. Children of neighbors, friends and those of underprivileged families will be made as welcome as our own."

"It is both fitting and proper, that for each child you sponsor, a gift be brought to the hall. The gift should bear a suitable tag or label upon which the name of your little guest should be written. These gifts will be placed under the tree and distributed by jolly old Santa himself."

Members of the Moose may send contributions to help defray expenses of the party, whether they attend or not.

Chairman Kuschner is anxious for all members to attend the children's party and they are urged to bring their wives and lady friends.

Helps Santa, Salvation Army

Clifton Palen, emulating the typical Christmas shopper with his load of gifts, pauses at the Salvation Army Christmas kettle in front of the J. C. Penney store on Wall street to make a donation. Mrs. Dora Dudley of the Salvation Army also is shown. Buying at local stores continues at a brisk rate with only eight more days left to make Christmas purchases. *(Freeman Photo)*

Commutation Fare May Be Raised by Central and D.-H.

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Two railroads—the New York Central and the Delaware and Hudson—have won permission to increase their commutation fares within New York state.

The State Public Service Commission gave its approval yesterday.

At the same time, it turned down pleas of the two lines and of 10 other railroads for 12½ per cent increases in basic intrastate coach and Pullman fares.

Under the P.S.C. ruling, the New York Central is allowed increases in commutation and multiple-trip tickets ranging from 31.27 per cent on restricted tickets, to 45.86 per cent on unrestricted tickets.

The restricted tickets are good for five days a week, while the unrestricted tickets permit unlimited riding.

The upstate Delaware and Hudson was authorized commutation fare increases ranging from 8.2 to 20 per cent. This will add an estimated $5,500 a year to the road's receipts.

Increases allowed the New York Central will total $2,040,000 a year. The railroad's petition had cited an annual estimated loss of $2,422,000 in commutation fares.

The new rates, which will apply only within the state, become effective when the two railroads file new tariffs in compliance with the decision.

The commission ruled against an estimated $3,000,000 annual increase in basic coach and Pullman rates sought by 12 railroads, including the New York Central and the D. & H.

The decision criticized the petitioning railroads for seeking to solve their problems by seeking further fare boosts, the fourth asked since 1942.

P.S.C. Chairman Benjamin F. Feinberg said the roads "should try something that may bring them financial relief as well as lighten the burden upon the traveling public."

"First they should improve the service and make it attractive enough for more people to travel for business or pleasure, and secondly, stimulate business by experiments with reduced fares instead of increasing them," Feinberg said.

Increase in Fares

Newark, N. J., Dec. 16 (AP)—A 12½ per cent hike in railroad passenger fares between points within the state was approved today by the State Board of Public Utility Commissioners. The higher fares, which do not affect commuters, will go into effect December 23.

Odd-Job Man Is Held for Raping Girl of 7 Years

Lake Placid, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—A 28-year-old odd-job man was charged today with raping pretty, seven-year-old Babbette Wilcox after telling her he was one of Santa's helpers.

State police said George C. Haskin of Ogdensburg had signed a statement that he attacked the brown-eyed, brown haired, daughter of a taxi-stand operator late yesterday in a station wagon. He dumped her in front of her home more than two hours after picking her up, police said.

Babbette, bruised and frightened, was placed under a doctor's care at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wilcox.

Haskin, a slight man who has been digging ditches and doing other laborer's work in this resort village, sobbingly told police he had been drinking, Cpl. Harry E. Blaisdell reported.

Haskin waived examination upon arraignment before Peace Justice Clarence Eccleston and was ordered held without bail in Essex County Jail at Elizabethtown, pending grand jury action.

Babbette told this story:

She went to St. Agnes Church after school to practice for a Christmas play. As she left the church at approximately 4:30 p. m. a man drove up in a station wagon and said he would take her to her home, about two blocks away.

He drove, instead, to a wooded section at the edge of the village. He informed her he was "Ichabod, one of Santa Claus' helpers" and threatened to choke her if she did not do as he wished.

He assaulted the screaming child, tearing her clothes. Then he drove her to her house and sped away.

Police at nearby Saranac Lake halted Haskin's station wagon there.

Stock Corporations Drop

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—The number of stock corporations charted in New York state during the first 11 months of this year dropped 1,712 below the total for the corresponding period of 1948. The 18,062 corporations chartered through November 30 compared with 20,774 in the first 11 months of 1948. Secretary of State Thomas J. Curran also reported yesterday a "small but steady" increase in corporations since August.

Says Men Beat Him

Kingston Hospital reported at 12:45 a. m. that a man, who was brought there, said he had been beaten by two men. Officers William Hanley and Louis Sapp, Jr., who were dispatched to investigate, reported that the man requested no police action.

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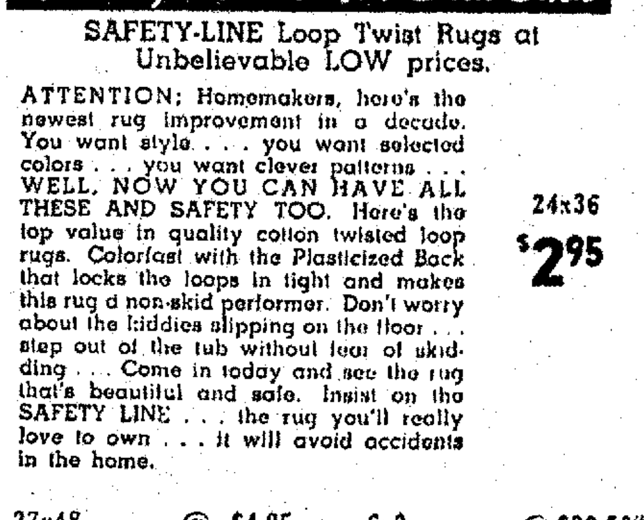
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Expert Explains Pearl Industry To Kiwanis Club

Joseph J. Feisenfeld of New York, who was introduced by Stuart Randall as "one of the world's best authorities on pearls," addressed the Kingston Kiwanis Club at its regular meeting Thursday noon at the Governor Clinton Hotel.

The pearl, mentioned in the Bible, is "the oldest known of all gems," Feisenfeld said.

The reason for this, he said, is that a pearl is "at its best" when it is found in the shell of an oyster. Other gems, he said, become valuable as the result of the cutter's tools and art.

Pearls are found throughout the world, both in salt and fresh water, he said.

The pearl is formed by the oyster when a foreign irritant enters its body. The irritant is coated with layers of a substance like the inside coating of the oyster's shell.

The art of raising cultured pearls was really discovered by the Chinese in the 13th century, Feisenfeld said. They carved tiny figures of their gods and inserted them in the oyster. The figures then became coated with the pearl substance.

However, these figures became attached to the shell and had to be sawed off, therefore the Chinese method was not suitable for making the perfectly spherical pearls which are wanted today.

It remained for the Japanese to discover the method of making a small incision in the oyster's body, in which a bead was placed on which grew the pearl, which could be removed without sawing.

Cultured pearls have become popular only within the past 20 years, Feisenfeld said. They were not really well known until the United States armed forces entered Japan during World War 2. Since then, the demand has exceeded the supply, he said.

During the war, culture of oysters stopped, and since it takes about six years to produce a cultured pearl, the only cultured pearls of any value now obtainable are the pre-war ones, he said.

First step in the culture process is the trapping of baby oysters. They are placed in cages and strewed over a water area, where for three years they are allowed to grow.

The three-year-old oysters are collected, sent to a laboratory where the beads or irritants are placed inside. Then they are put back in the water for another three years.

Every six months during the three years, the oysters are removed and inspected. Dead ones are thrown out, so that diseases and impurifications do not spread to the good ones, and then the surviving oysters are put back in the water. About 40 per cent of the oysters do not survive the six-year period.

The oysters are collected for inspection and final harvest by women divers in Japan, who dive for them in water from six to 20 feet deep.

Feisenfeld's talk was illustrated with a moving picture taken in Japanese pearl industries. He also brought with him several specimens, including an $1,800 black pearl necklace.

Regional Planner Warns Wide Area Of Haphazardness

New York, Dec. 15 (AP)—Joint community planning to avoid mistakes as the city area mushrooms into a decentralized region was urged yesterday in the 20th annual report of the Regional Plan Association by Paul Windels, its president.

In an introduction to the report, Windels announced that he has scheduled a meeting in January of representatives of the seven official county planning boards in the New Jersey-New York-Connecticut metropolitan region, together with the New York city Planning Commission.

The meeting is aimed at coordination of county planning.

Windels emphasized the danger of new suburban developments following obsolete patterns and lowering standards unless there was joint municipal and county planning.

While hailing coordinated achievement, he added that "This is no time for complacency."

Among the meeting's business was a rating by the association planning director Frederick P. Clark of the seven points in a planning director, Frederick P. gram proposed by Hugh R. Pomeroy director of the Westchester County Department of Planning.

Pomeroy has criticized the New York city commission at a conference November 15.

Windels, who was re-elected president at a directors meeting, discussed trends for decentralization indicating that the region is improving as a working and resident area, while its central cities apparently are in no danger of losing their importance or becoming "ghost cities."

"At the present rate of construction, 60 per cent of the region's residential structures will be over 40 years old by 1970," said Windels, who noted that in spite of new housing, "large areas in the region's central cities are absolete."

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23 Delineate
26 Pare
28 Mixed type
29 Three-toed sloth
30 Half an em
31 Not (prefix)
32 Flower
34 Profound
37 Higher
38 Abraham's home (Bib.)
39 Small swallow
41 Prevent
46 War god
47 Hearing organ
48 Make amends
49 Plaything
50 Foot support
52 Oozes
54 Corrects
55 Volume

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16 Down
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25 Beverage
26 Remitted
27 Ireland
32 Subterfuges
33 Narcotic
35 It is found in
36 Entreats
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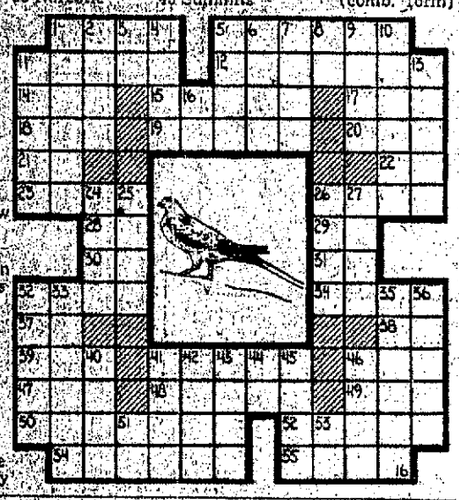
Answer to Previous Puzzle



THE RUMINATOR

A Column of Contrary Opinion
By HUMPHREY B. NEILL

Along with pre-holiday predictions about what lies ahead let us not lose sight of the fact that "monetary management" will probably prove the strongest force of all in determining economic fluctuations during 1950.

The unfortunate part of this is that so few of us pay any thoughtful attention to monetary policies of the government and of the Federal Reserve Board.

As you have doubtless noticed in your daily papers, the arguments before the Congressional subcommittee on the Economic Report have been long and detailed over the past weeks. So many different viewpoints have been presented that it is doubtful if anyone outside the banking fraternity has paid very serious attention.

This lack of attention to money matters is common among businessmen and the public. You can get into street-corner discussions on "How's business," but the conversation seldom reaches the root of our economic system, which is monetary.

The reason is not hard to find. The subject is difficult to understand. It is complex. It is not of general interest.

So, in this article let us not get in very deep. Let us just skim the surface in order to sense the complications.

First of all, in our financial setup there are two major "divisions:"

1. The Treasury Department.
2. The Federal Reserve System.

The Treasury Department, of course, has the responsibility of "managing" the huge public debt—currently over a quarter of a trillion dollars. The interest alone on this debt is an enormous expense item of the government. A difference of only 1 per cent, for example, in interest on an amount of this size adds up to over two-and-a-half billion dollars! Something to think about! You can readily see why a low interest rate—"cheap money"—is of vital concern to the Treasury Department.

To maintain cheap money—to hold interest rates low—the government obviously is much concerned over the prices that prevail for government bonds. If bond prices fall (and remain down) it means that interest rates rise—and vice versa.

Accordingly, at the present time it is of the greatest importance to the Treasury Department to keep bond prices up and interest rates low.

Newspaper headlines, before me as I write, illustrate the current contraversy:

"Easy Money to Continue at Treasury's Insistence"

"Money Market Reflects Treasury-Reserve (Board) Dispute on Letting Interest Rate on Government Securities to Rise."

The Federal Reserve Board stresses the fact that "cheap money" stimulates speculation and risky borrowing—and is inflationary.

The Federal Reserve Board has great control over interest rates through its purchases or sales of government bonds. Suppose—as an extreme example—that banks or insurance companies wished to unload large holdings of government bonds. If buyers were scarce bond prices would fall under the impact of large sales. If a situation like this were to arise the Federal Reserve banks would step into the breach and buy bonds. This would prevent bond prices from cracking—but at the same time it would force millions in currency into circulation. When more money is put into circulation it tends to be inflationary.

From these limited illustrations we can see at once how the policies of the Treasury and the Federal Reserve authorities can come into sharp conflict. And they are in sharp conflict today.

If this were all acedemic and merely matters of disagreement over theories it would not be serious. Unfortunately, the wide disagreements now prevailing suggest that we are likely to witness (perhaps) frequent changes in policy in the year ahead. Changes in policy can quickly influence the general economic balance. A deflationary program, for example, would probably drive bond prices down somewhat. This would adversely affect the stock market—and in time business sentiment.

Influences of monetary management are incalculable. When the economic system can be sharply influenced by decisions of a small group of men we sense how significant and far-reaching monetary management can be.

Geographers say the United States has the world's most colorful autumn foliage.

Van Duzer Proposes Ceiling in Income Taxes

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—A ceiling on federal income taxes is proposed by Assemblyman Wilson C. Van Duzer of Middletown.

Van Duzer, a Republican, said today he would introduce at the 1950 session of the Legislature a resolution asking Congress to initiate an amendment to the federal constitution to achieve this goal.

Van Duzer proposes a limit of 25 per cent on the amount of income taxes the federal government could impose on incomes, except by a three-fourths vote of each House in the event of emergency.

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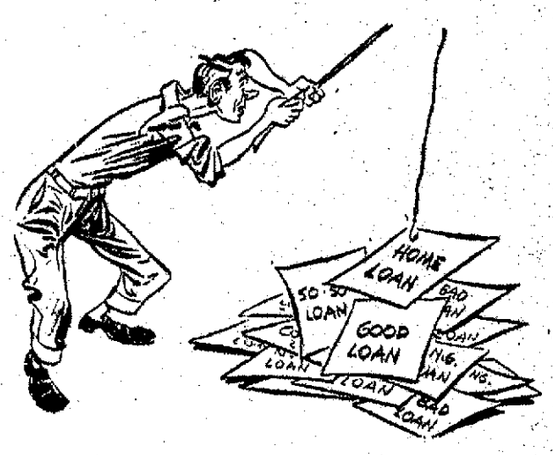

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HARDWOOD — stove or fireplace. Kieffer, phone 924-R-2.

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1946 Mercury 4-door sedan
1947 Chevrolet Aero sedan
1946 Ford 4-door sedan
1946 Nash 4-door sedan
1941 Oldsmobile 4-door sedan
1941 Buick estate wagon
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1946 Pontiac sedan coupe
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'47	Studebaker convertible	1195
'47	Oldsmobile convertible	950
'47	Buick convertible	1295
'47	Willys pickup	795
'46	Chevrolet station wagon	895
'46	Ford club coupe	895
'46	Pontiac sedan	1095
'46	Chevrolet sedan	1095
'41	Chevrolet station wagon	495
'41	Chrysler sedan	395
'41	Pontiac sedan	495
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'41	Ford sedan	395
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1948 International pickup
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LOST or STOLEN

SAVINGS BOOK—No. 55422 of Rondout Savings Bank. Payment stopped. If found return to bank, Mill St. and Broadway. All persons are cautioned not to purchase or negotiate same.

LEGAL NOTICES

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of The National Ulster County Bank of Kingston for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting will be held at the Banking House Building, 300 Wall Street, in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on Tuesday, January 10th, 1950, from 11 a. m. to 12 o'clock noon.
CHARLES SNYDER
Cashier
Dated at Kingston, N. Y., December 9, 1949.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Rondout National Bank of Kingston, N. Y., will be held at the Banking House, 22 East Strand in the City of Kingston, N. Y. on Tuesday, January 10, 1950 for the election of Directors and such other business that may come before the meeting, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 noon.
Dated at Kingston, N. Y., December 9, 1949.
IRVING L. EYLES
Cashier

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the State of New York National Bank will be held at the Banking House, Kingston, N. Y., on the 10th day of January, 1950, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
Polls open from 11 A. M. to 12 Noon.
Dated at Kingston, N. Y., December 9, 1949.
ROBERT C. MURRAY
Cashier

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN in compliance with Section 142 of the Highway Law as amended by Chapter 731 of the laws of 1945, that George Fichtner, Superintendent of Highways of the Town of Shandaken, Ulster County, New York, has recommended the purchase of one Standard Huber Maintenance Unit and Attachments at a purchase price of $5225.00. The Town Board of the Town of Shandaken will meet at the Town Clerk's Office, Allaben, New York on the 28th day of December, 1949 from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. to consider such purchase.
Dated, December 13, 1949.
LEON B. BULEY
Town Clerk

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following personal property, to wit:
1 Gardenald, 1½ horse power Tractor No. C-762, serial-engine No. D017-1001
and
1 Gardenald, 1½ horse power Tractor No. B-939 serial-engine No. D017-0100
will be sold at public auction on the 28th day of December, 1949, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Eastern Tractor Manufacturing Corporation, 36 St. James Street, Kingston, New York. The sale of such tractors is to satisfy a Repairman's Lien of the undersigned. The said tractors are held by the undersigned and were repaired by it for the account of G. R. Ham, of Hunter, New York.
Dated, December 16, 1949
EASTERN TRACTOR MANUFACTURING CORPORATION
By: J. L. CARROLL,
President

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK BY THE GRACE OF GOD, FREE AND INDEPENDENT, TO—
MORTIMER V. BARASCH, unknown if living or dead.
SEND GREETING:
Upon the petition of AUGUSTA BARASCH, Administratrix of the Estate of ABRAHAM BARASCH, Deceased,
You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause, at a Surrogate's Court to be held in and for the County of Ulster, at the Surrogate's Office, in the City of Kingston, in said County, on the 27th day of December, 1949 next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why her accounts as Administratrix may not be judicially settled and why such settlement should not be had.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused the seal of the said Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed. Witness, HON. JOHN B. STERLEY,
[L. S.] Surrogate of our said County, at the City of Kingston, the 15th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.
H. LeROY GILL,
Clerk of Surrogate's Court

STATE OF NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF ULSTER—HILBERT C. MITTELSTADT, Post Office Box 41, Tillson, New York, Plaintiff, against CATHERINE A. K. MITTELSTADT, Defendant
ACTION FOR ANNULMENT
To the above named defendant:
You are hereby SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.
Trial to be held in the County of Ulster.
Dated: September 7, 1949
CHARLES H. GAFFNEY
Attorney for Plaintiff
Office and Post Office Address
290 Fair Street
Kingston, New York
To the above named defendant:
The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Hon. Roscoe V. Elsworth, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 23rd day of November, 1949, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of Ulster County at Kingston, New York.
Dated, November 25, 1949
CHARLES H. GAFFNEY
Attorney for Plaintiff
Office and Post Office Address
290 Fair Street
Kingston, New York

STATE OF NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, ULSTER COUNTY—DORSE PETERSON, Plaintiff, against DONALD PETERSON, Defendant
Plaintiff designates ULSTER County as the place of trial.
ACTION FOR ANNULMENT OF MARRIAGE
to the above named Defendant:
YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance on the Plaintiff's Attorney within 20 days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.
Dated, September 6th, 1949
JAMES C. PLUNKETT
Attorney for Plaintiff
Office and P. O. Address
290 Wall Street
Kingston, New York
STATE OF NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, ULSTER COUNTY—DORSE PETERSON, Plaintiff, against DONALD PETERSON, Defendant
TO DONALD PETERSON:
The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Honorable Harry E. Schirick, Justice of the Supreme Court, dated the 25th day of October, 1949, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of Ulster County, in Kingston, New York.
JAMES C. PLUNKETT
Attorney for Plaintiff
Office and P. O. Address
290 Wall Street
Kingston, New York

Find the 'Gift to Give' in Today's Freeman Want-Ads

Grange Opposes Milk Price Cut

Rochester, N. Y Dec. 16 (AP) — The New York State Grange objects to what it calls an 'uneconomic' cut Jan 1 in the price of Class 1-A fluid milk in the New York milk marketing area

The 44-cent drop from the current producers price of $5 24 per hundredweight is a result of tying the New York price to that of the Boston milk marketing area, delegates to the 77th Convention of the New York State Grange said yesterday

The objection was voiced in a hotly worded resolution prepared by the convention's dairy committee It included the charge that the cut was not based on economic reality

In another resolution, the delegates criticized what they termed "the upward trend of state and national spending for current operations" They called for a halt in the incurrence of further governmental debt and a pay-as-you-go plan in capital expenditures, so that further taxation will be unnecessary.

Other resolutions:

Urged support for the state's milk for Health, Inc, program,

Asked for a law prohibiting the throwing of any burning matter from automobiles or trucks;

Opposed the coloring of butter substitutes before they are offered to the public;

Opposed any plan to separate the Farm Bureau and the Extension service

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637 Yule Cards Sent to Hospital

A count today of the "cards of cheer" received at Kingston Hospital as the result of mention on the Don McNeil radio program showed a total of 637 to date.

The cards addressed to patients of the various wards, began coming in yesterday when 200 were received and 437 more came in this morning's mail. They are from many states and among those received today was one from Canada

The increase in the number received this morning as compared to the total for yesterday, indicates that many more would be received in the afternoon mail

Patients at the hospital include nine victims of polio and most of these are young children.

Local Bus Bulletin

Kingston bus terminals located as follows
Trailways Bus Depot, 495 Broadway, opposite Central P O Tel 744
Uptown Bus Terminal Crown St Central Bus Terminal, opposite West Shore Railroad Station phone 1374 Downtown Bus Terminal at Johnston's Drug Store 34 East Strand

KINGSTON, ETC., TO PINE HILL, FLEISHMANNS, MARGARETVILLE, ANDES DELHI AND ONEONTA

	Daily AM	Daily PM	Daily PM	Daily PM	Daily PM	Fri Only PM
Lv Kingston						
Trailways Ter	6 15	12 20	3 00	3 20	5 20	9 15
Central Ter	6 50	12 30	3 30	3 35	5 15	9 20
Uptown Ter	7 00	12 10	3 10	3 35	5 30	9 25
Shokan	7 22	1 02		3 57	5 52	9 47
Phoenicia	7 40	1 22	4 03	4 15	6 12	10:07
Shandaken	7 55	1 35	4 15	...	6 25	10 20
Big Indian	8 00	1 40	4 20	....	6 30	10:25
Pine Hill	8 05	1 45	4 25	....	6 35	10 30
Ar Margaretville	8 35	2 15	4 50	....	7 00	11 00
Lv Margaretville	8 35	Daily	4 50	....	...	...
Andes	8 55	AM	5 10	....	....	....
Delhi	9 20	7 00	5 35	....	....	....
Ar Oneonta	10 05	7 15	6 20	....	....	...

Above trips make connections at Kingston with buses and trains from New York city Connection carriers Central Greyhound Lines Adirondack Transit Lines Mountain View Coach Line and West Shore Railroad

ONEONTA, DELHI, ANDES MARGARETVILLE, FLEISHMANNS, PINE HILL, ETC., TO KINGSTON

LEAVE—	*Daily Ex Sun. A.M.	Daily AM	Daily PM	Fri and Sun Only P.M.	Daily PM
Oneonta		8 00	1 15		7 35
Delhi		8 15	1 30		8 20
Andes		9 10	2 55		
At Margaretville		9 40	3 15		
Lv Margaretville	6 10	9 40	3 15	5 00	
Pine Hill	7 00	9 55	3 10	5.25	
Big Indian	7 10	10 00	3 15	5 30	
Shandaken	7 15	10 05	3 60	5 35	
Phoenicia	7 25	10 20	4 05	5 50	
Shokan	7 17	10 11	4 26	6 11	
Ar Kingston (Uptown)	8 10	11 05	4 50	6 35	
Ar Kingston (Central)	8 30	11 10	4 55	6 40	
Ar Kingston (Trailways)	8 30	11 15	5 00	6 45	

*Will run via Glenford Church and O Brien's Store All others will run on new highway

Above trips make connections at Kingston with buses and trains to New York city Connecting carriers Central Greyhound Lines Adirondack Transit Lines Mountain View Coach Line and West Shore Railroad

KINGSTON, ETC., TO WEST HURLEY, WOODSTOCK AND WILLOW

LEAVE—	Daily PM	Daily PM	*Daily PM	Fri Only PM
Trailways Terminal	12 20	3 00	5 20	9:15
Kingston Central	12 30	2 50	5 10	9 20
Kingston Uptown	12 35	3 10	5 30	9.25

*Will go to Willow with through passengers on Friday Saturday and Sunday only Above trips connect with buses and trains from New York City Connecting carriers Central Greyhound Lines Adirondack Transit Lines Mountain View Coach Lines and West Shore Railroad

WILLOW, LAKE HILL, BEARSVILLE, WOODSTOCK, ETC. TO KINGSTON

LEAVE—	Daily Ex Sun AM	Daily AM	Daily Ex Sun PM	Daily PM	Sun Only PM	Sun. Only PM
Willow	7 40	10 30			4 15	6 05
Bearsville	7 52	10 37	1 50	4 15	4 21	6 15
Woodstock	7 53	10 45	2 00	4 25	4 25	6 20
West Hurley	8 00	10 51	2 10	4 35	4 35	6 25

Above trips connect with buses and trains to New York City Connecting carriers Central Greyhound Lines Adirondack Transit Lines Mountain View Coach Lines and West Shore Railroad

MOUNTAIN VIEW COACH LINES INC.

Kingston to Poughkeepsie and Newburgh
Leave Crown Street Terminal

Daily	8:20 A M
x	10 30 A M
Daily	11 20 A M
Daily	1 15 P M
x	2 00 P M
Daily	3 15 P M
Daily	5 20 P M
Daily	7 10 P M
o	9 45 P M

For information call 713

Kingston to Saugerties Catskill Albany
Leave Crown Street Terminal

xx	7 40 A M
Lx x	9 00 A M
Daily	10 10 A M
x	11 25 A M
Daily	12 30 P M
Daily	2 25 P M
Daily	4 30 P M
Daily	6 40 P M
Ex C	6 40 P M
Daily D	9:00 P M

x—Daily except Sundays and holidays
o—Sundays and holidays only to Newburgh, this trip leaves from Trailways Terminal only
Ex—Express Kingston to Albany
C—Sundays only express
D—Trip ends in Catskill except Sundays and holidays goes to Albany.
xx—Trip starts from Kingston Weekdays Sun and Hol from Saugerties
Connections for New York city in Poughkeepsie on N Y C R R, in Newburgh on Hudson Transit Lines

ELLENVILLE TO KINGSTON

	Daily Ex Sun & Hol AM	Daily AM	Sat & Non-Sch Days Only PM	Daily Ex Sun & Hol PM	Sun & Hol Only PM
Ellenville	6 40	*10 00	†12 50	3 20	*3 00
Kerhonkson	6 15	10 15	1 05	3 35	3 15
Accord	6 58	10 25	1 15	3 15	3 25
Kripplebush	7 05	10 35			
Stone Ridge	7 15	10 45	1 30	4 00	3 55
Marbletown	7 20	10 50	1 35	4 05	4 00
Old Hurley	7 25	10 55	1 40	4 10	4 05
Crown St. Ter	7 35	11 05	1 50	4:20	4 15
Trailways Ter	7 45	11 15	2 00	4 30	4 25
Central Ter	7 50	11 20	2 05	4 35	4 30

*Does not run Sundays or Holidays
†Does not run to Kripplebush on Sundays or Holidays
**Trip runs through High Falls
Connections at Kingston with buses and trains to New York city and Albany

KINGSTON TO ELLENVILLE

	Daily Ex Sun. & Hol AM	Daily PM	Daily Ex Sun & Hol PM	Daily PM.
Central Ter	8 30	12 15	3 25	5 15
Trailways Ter	8 35	12 20	3 30	5 20
Crown St Ter	8 40	12 30	3 45	5 30
Old Hurley	8 50	12 40	3 55	5 40
Stone Ridge	9 00	12 50	4 05	5 50
Kripplebush			4 20	6.00
Accord	9 15	1 05	4 30	6 10
Kerhonkson	9 25	1 15	4 40	6 20
Ellenville	9 40	1 30	4 55	6 35

HIGH FALLS TO KINGSTON

Leaves—	Daily Ex Sun & Hol. AM	Daily AM	Daily Ex Sun & Hol PM	Daily Ex Sun & Hol. PM	Sun & Hol Only PM
High Falls	7 05	10 20	1 20	4.00	3 45
Stone Ridge	7 15	10 45	1 30	4:05	3 55
Marbletown	7 20	10 50	1 35	4:10	4 00
Old Hurley	7 25	10 55	1 40	4 15	4 05
Crown Street Terminal	7 35	11 05	1 50	4 25	4 15
Trailways Terminal	7 15	11 15	2 00	4 35	4 25
Central Terminal	7 50	11 20	2:05	4 40	4 30

Connections at Kingston with buses and trains to New York City and Albany

KINGSTON TO HIGH FALLS

Leaves—	Sat and Non-School Days Only AM	School Days Only AM	Daily PM	Daily Ex Sun & Hol. PM	Daily PM.
Central Terminal	*8 30	9 15	12 15	3 25	5.15
Trailways Terminal	8:35		12 20	3:30	5:20
Crown Street Terminal	8 40	9 25	12 30	3 35	5.30
Old Hurley	8 50	9 30	12 40	3 45	5 40
Marble Corners	8 55	9 35	12 45	3.50	5 15
Stone Ridge	9 00	9 40	12 50	3 55	5 50
High Falls	9.05	9 45	12 55	4.00	5 55

*Does not run Sundays or Holidays.

Anniversary Christmas Party

Henry Schaffer, president of Schaffer Stores, center, pins a 20-year button on George H Martin, vice president of Poughkeepsie, left, at the 38th anniversary Christmas party of Empire Super Markets and Schaffer Stores. The party was held at Lathem, Albany county. Left to right in the picture are Frank Kiwus, Kingston, 20 years; Mr. Martin, Mr. Schaffer, William Skumurski, Schenectady, 25 years; Charles Barker, Stillwater, 25 years. Miss Catherine Barton of Brookview with 20 years service was absent when the picture was taken.

Whooping Cough Prevalent in Area

Whooping cough continued to be prevalent in Ulster county during the month of November, especially in the Kingston area, leading the communicable diseases with a total of 14 cases Thirteen of these cases were reported from Kingston

In the monthly report for November, recently released, the County Board of Health points out that this disease must be considered seriously by parents in that the mortality in infants is high

Contrary to the popular belief that infants under six months of age are immune to communicable diseases, whooping cough affects this age group with nearly the same frequency as during the last six months of the first year of life.

Although vaccination does not in all instances give complete protection, it can be expected to markedly lessen the severity of the illness. Treatment after exposure of onset is less certain and far more expensive Vaccination against whooping cough is recommended

During November there was one case of mumps reported in Kingston, one case of pneumonia in the city and one in the county. An additional case of polio was reported from the county. There were two cases of Salmenella infection in the city and in the county three cases of strep sore throat including scarlet fever. There were three deaths from pneumonia in the county.

59 Infants Immunized

In the immunization program 59 infants were immunized for diptheria, 15 pre-school age, 17 school age and 90 booster doses were administered For whooping cough 124 were immunized Vaccination for small pox was administered to 71 under fifteen years of age and there were 171 tetnus immunizations given.

During November one active pulmonary tuberculosis case was reported from the city and four from the county. There were two deaths from tuberculosis A total of 389 examinations were made at clinics.

Seventeen cases of cancer were reported in Kingston and 11 in the county outside the city. Six deaths from cancer resulted

During November 116 live births were reported in the county, 3 stillbirths, and there were 2 deaths of infants under a month old and 2 from six months to 11 months of age

Causes of death among residents of the county in November were as follows: Heart disease 40 Diseases of arteries 20 Cancer 6 Nephritis 5 Violence and accidental 5. Diseases peculiar to first year of life 4 Cerebral hemorrhage 2; Tuberculosis 2 Diabetes 2 and from other causes 12

The Kingston meat inspector reported 395 beef animals examined, 612 calves and 9 lambs

The Kingston plumbing inspector reported 11 applications for installations in new buildings, 27 in existing buildings, 56 preliminary inspections 38 final inspections and 29 other inspections Four complaints were received and investigated

Competitive Exams To Be Held in State

Albany N Y, Dec 16 (AP)—Competitive examinations for state scholarships in medicine and dentistry will be held January 28 at New York city, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse and Albany

The State Education Department said today 100 scholarships were available Each will entitle the holder to $750 a year for four successive years of professional study at any approved school in the state

Thirty-six medical scholarships and 14 dental scholarships will be awarded to New York city competitors and the same number to competitors in the other 57 counties of the state

Completed application forms must be filed before January 11 with the State Education Department's division of examinations and testing at Albany

Candidates must have completed approved courses leading to the professional studies, begun not more than five years prior to application Attendance in such pre-professional courses for at least one semester of the 1949-50 school year also is required.

U. S. Proposes New Method of Pricing New York Milk

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP) — A long-range method of pricing milk, designed to permit producer prices in the New York milkshed to fluctuate with changing economic conditions, is proposed by the U. S Department of Agriculture.

Under the method, recommended yesterday, the basic price of Class 1-A fluid milk would be adjusted automatically with changes in the general price level, changes in market supply and demand, and a schedule of seasonal changes designed to encourage more even production

The formula is essentially that proposed by the New York milkshed price committee, comprising 10 economists and headed by F. F. Hill of Cornell University

Since 1946, the price has been set for a few months at a time by the secretary of agriculture

Interested persons have until Jan 3 to submit views on the proposal. The department said these would be considered before a final decision was reached

The Agriculture Department recommended that the new formula become part of the federal milk marketing order, which regulates handling of milk in the six-state New York metropolitan marketing area.

The minimum price would be determined by starting with a base of $5 66 a hundred pounds—the average price in 1948. That figure was selected, the department said, because in 1948 "reasonably good adjustment existed between the Class 1-A price, the general level of all prices and supply and demand conditions in the market"

Officials said they believed the proposed formula would prove a more stable method of fixing producer prices. However, they commented that no formula would yield a satisfactory price in every month under all conditions

May Ask for Bids On Downsville Dam in January

New York city's water department is expected to advertise for bids next month for the construction of the Downsville Dam in the valley of the east branch of the Delaware river, it was learned today.

Work on construction of a 25-mile tunnel which will extend from the Downsville area to the reservoir at Lackawack is in progress, and work is advanced on the phase of the Downsville project known as the Pepacton reservoir. This includes a diversion tunnel, cut-off wall and a coffer dam 70-feet high.

The estimate cost of the 25-mile tunnel is $142,000,000, and the Downsville dam is expected to cost more than $50,000,000.

Samuel R. Rosoff, who built some of the Lackawack tunnel, a few years ago, is expected to bid on the Downsville Dam project. Rosoff also recently indicated interest in the purchase of the N. Y, Ontario and Western Railroad.

The Downsville Dam project is expected to be completed in five years and the interconnected Pepacton, Neversink and Rondout reservoirs, it is estimated, will add 540 millions of gallons of water daily to New York's present Ashokan, Gilboa and lower Hudson valley water works system

Postmaster Hires Extra Mail Help

The first group of extra men who will assist in handling the Christmas rush of mail went on duty yesterday, Postmaster William R Kraft said today

Additional help will be added as needed and the flow of mail is expected to reach a peak next week About 20 men have been added to the regular force to date.

Veterans who are on the civil service list are given preference. Next considered are veterans who are not on the list, and finally non-veterans, if all jobs are not filled by the first two classifications, the postmaster said

A gradual increase in mail was noticed through the week but the start of the big rush is not expected before Monday.

Y.M.C.A. Group Dinner

A father and son spaghetti dinner for Preps and Cadets will be served at the YMCA. Saturday at noon.

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Down Broadway . 7 15 P M.
UPTOWN BUS
O'Neil & Broadway 6 55 P M.
Crown St Terminal 7 00 P.M.
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Henry St, & B'way. 7 10 P M.
Out O'Neil St, ... 7 15 P.M.
Central P O. ... 7 20 P M

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Wednesday, Dec. 21—First Dutch Church Choir
Thursday, Dec. 22—St. James Methodist Church Choir.
Friday, Dec. 23—Clinton Ave. Methodist Church Choir.

The Weather

FRIDAY, DEC. 16, 1949

Sun rises at 7:32 a. m.; sun sets at 4:19 p. m., E.S.T.
Weather, clear.

The Temperature

The lowest temperature recorded on The Freeman thermometer during the night was 14 degrees. The highest figure recorded up to noon today was 30 degrees.

Weather Forecast

New York city and vicinity: Sunny and cold again today, high about 37. Fair and cold tonight, low around 27 in city and 15 to 20 in northern suburbs. Saturday fair with rising temperatures, high in mid-40s. Gentle to moderate northerly winds today becoming light variable tonight and moderate southerly Saturday.

CLEAR

Eastern New York (interior): Fair and rather cold again today, high 25 to 30. Low tonight 10 to 15. Saturday fair with slowly rising temperatures.

Dewey to Recommend Youth Group Continue

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—Governor Dewey will recommend that the legislature continue New York State's Youth Commission for at least three more years.

The governor said yesterday there had been a "spectacular," 27 per cent drop in juvenile delinquency in the state since 1945, when the commission was created. He met yesterday with 50 public officials and civic leaders to discuss the state's youth program.

The seven-member commission is scheduled to expire July 1. It will have spent approximately $4,000,000 in matching community contributions for operation of 700 youth centers.

Dewey said a report from the commission's executive director, Lee Dowling, indicated "astounding success" in the field of physical recreation. Much remains to be done in child guidance and cooperation among community agencies, he added.

Social Welfare Commissioner Robert T. Lansdale, chairman of the commission, reported that three state training schools for delinquent youths were "operating below capacity." The schools are at Hudson, Warwick and Industry.

Southwest Winds Reach Midwest

(By The Associated Press)

Southwesterly winds swept into the upper plains and the midwest today, moderating temperatures which reached sub-zero lows in those sections Thursday.

Weather Bureau Forecaster H. S. Kenny at Chicago said development of a low pressure area in the north central area, and comparatively high barometers in the southern plains and Rockies were responsible for the warming flow. It held at bay, temporarily, a sub-zero front in southern Canada which probably will move southward in a day or so.

The east, southeast and the Gulf area as far west as Texas remained chilly. The exception was the Florida peninsula which was very mild.

It was near zero in Maine and northwestern New England. Rumford, Me., reported 4 above, Concord, N. H., and Albany, N. Y. 5. New York had 26.

Roasting Duck

If you use moderate temperatures for roasting duck and want a crisper, browner skin than results, place the duck under the broiler before serving. Or one hour before roasting brush the duck with a few tablespoons of honey mixed with a teaspoon of soy sauce.

Goshen Attorney Has 94th Birthday

Goshen, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—Joseph Merritt, who may be the oldest practicing lawyer in the state, celebrates his 94th birthday here tomorrow.

He's still in harness and goes to his office every weekday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Merritt was admitted to the bar 72 years ago after working in the Sullivan county clerk's office and studying law under the late County Judge Arthur C. Butts in Monticello, N. Y.

Born in Mount Kisco, N. Y., Merritt was educated in Monticello. He came to Goshen in 1885.

He was special judge and surrogate of Sullivan county from 1879 to 1882 and Monticello town president in 1884.

Since coming here, he served as Orange county treasurer in 1892 and has been town attorney for 40 years.

Reports Striking Boy

Edna F. Merritt, 20 Janet street, reported to the police at 12:20 p. m. Thursday that her car struck Bruce Eymann, 6, of 42 Janet street, as she was driving over Green street near School No. 7. The boy suffered a bruised hip and was taken to his home, the report said.

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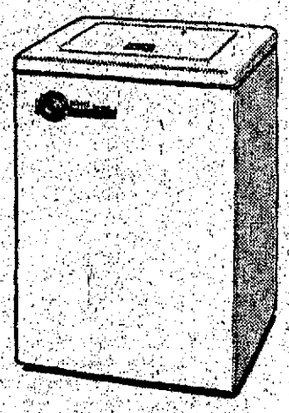
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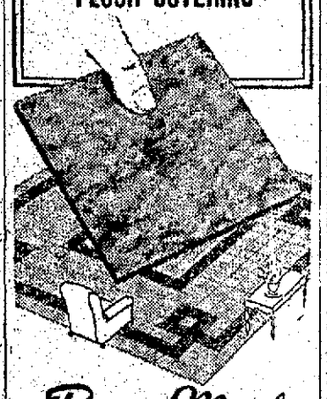
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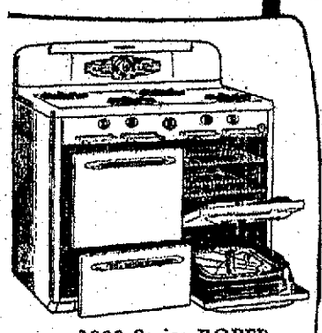
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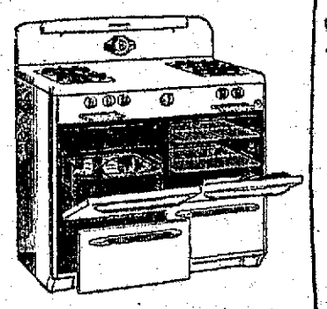
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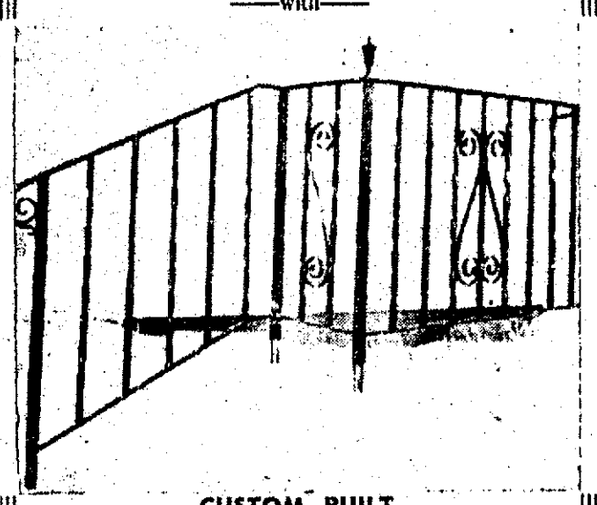
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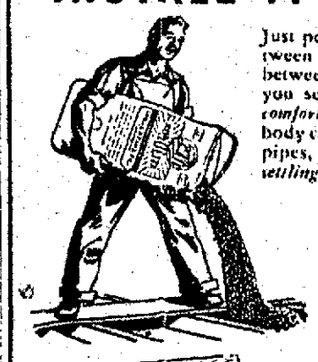
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